WEATHER FORECAST

Victoria and Vicinity—Moderate southeast to south winds, partly cloudy and mild, with mist or a little light rain.
Vancouver and Vicinity—Moderate winds, mostly southerly; partly cloudy and mild with mist or a little light rain.

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TEST FLIGHT OF NEW BOEING STRATOLINER RESULTS IN TRAGEDY

Half-Million-Dollar Plane Emerges From Clouds To Crash to Earth in Narrow Ravine Near Washington Lumber Town—Eye-Witnesses Give Account of Disaster

ALDER, Wash., March 18 (AP).—The Boeing Aircraft Company's new $500,000, four-motored stratoliner crashed near here today while on a test flight from Seattle, killing at least ten men aboard.

Company headquarters at Seattle named the men as follows: Julius Barr, Boeing test pilot; Earl A. Ferguson, Boeing test pilot; John Kylstra, Ralph L. Cram, flight engineer; William Doyle; Harry West; Ben Pearson; P. Guillonard, assistant general manager of Royal Dutch Air Lines; A. G. von Baumauer, Dutch K.L.M. Line; Harlan Hull, chief test pilot for Trans-Continental and Western Airways.

The company said an eleventh man, E. B. Kinneman, may have been aboard the plane. Seattle newspapermen here said eleven bodies were taken from the wreckage.

OUT OF THE CLOUDS

Witnesses said the plane suddenly emerged from the clouds over this little lumber town on the western slope of the Cascades, forty-one miles southeast of Tacoma.

They said the sound of its four motors faded, then speeded as the plane spun earthward.

The tail and part of one motor appeared to drop off before the ma-

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SAYS PEOPLE IS B.C. NEED

Premier Pattullo Replies to Remarks of Railway Official at Vancouver

Premier Pattullo came to the defence of his home riding of Prince Rupert yesterday, answering what he said was a criticism made by W. M. Neal, Winnipeg, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway. In remarks at Vancouver, Mr. Neal had touched on Pacific Coast expenditures, mentioning Prince Rupert. In reply, Premier Pattullo said:

"Among these alleged extravagances in the creation of a new ocean port at Prince Rupert in competition with Vancouver." This statement is about as sensible as to say that Seattle and Los Angeles should not have been started in competition with San Francisco. The facts are, leaving aside national aspects, that the development of Prince Rupert and Northern British Columbia has been, and is today, a considerable factor in the development of the port of Vancouver.

"We are not going to settle the railway situation in Canada by working ourselves into a frenzy and tearing up rails. The railways are here to serve Canada. Until recently all that has been done in railway activities ever since Confederation, including the Canadian Pacific Railway, has been upon the assumption of increase of population. What the railways need, and what Canada needs, is more people. With more people there will be more business," the Premier declared, in conclusion.

JAPANESE BOMB TWO HOSPITALS

English and American Missions Reported Struck in Series of Raids

HONGKONG, March 18 (AP).—A toll of about 1,000 Chinese dead and wounded was reported today in widespread Japanese air raids in Central and Northwest China which destroyed British and American mission hospitals.

Six Japanese bombs were reported to have hit the English Baptist hospital at Sian, in Shensi Province, killing or wounding most of its native staff, but not injuring any of its British officials.

Other Japanese bombs scored hits on seven Sian refugee camps and schools, inflicting at least 300 casualties, these reports said.

Chinese were reported in Shanghai to have launched a powerful counter-offensive against Japanese forces in Central Hupeh, northwest of Hankow, causing the heaviest fighting in recent weeks.

PATIENTS KILLED

Advices from Chungking, temporary capital of China, said the United States Embassy there had been informed that the American Southern Baptist hospital at Chengchow, Northern Honan Province, was hit directly Friday and that six Chinese patients were killed.

An American-maintained refugee camp at Chengchow, which has accommodated thousands of war and flood refugees in the past, these reports said, also was bombed. Heavy casualities were said to have been inflicted on the camp.

Both the hospital and the camp were clearly marked by American flags.

(Reports in Shanghai said none of the seven Americans on the mission staff in Chengchow were injured. They are headed by Hospital Superintendent Sanford Ayers, of Atlanta, Ga.)

ASKS INCREASED PENSIONS

VANCOUVER, March 18 (CP).—The British Columbia Old Age Pensioners' Benevolent Association announced today a petition seeking $30 per month old age pensions to begin at sixty-five had been sent to Prime Minister Mackenzie King.

FORMER SENATOR DEAD

PERRYDALE, Ore., March 18 (AP).—Herbert J. Elliott, sixty-six, former state senator and also a former member of the Oregon State College board of regents, died in a Portland hospital today after five months of illness. Born in Petersborough, Ont. in 1872, he came to Oregon in 1883

CAUSES SCARCITY OF TENNIS BALLS

Japan's Economy Campaign May Even Prevent Playing of National Championships

TOKIO, March 18 (AP). — Tennis balls are almost as scarce as ostrich eggs in Japan today, and Japanese players are gloomy about the future.

This is another result of the China war, for which Japan is frantically cutting all unnecessary consumption.

Tamio Abe, captain of the Davis Cup team, said he doubted that even the national championships could be held this year, because the equipment is lacking.

KILLED BY FATHER'S CAR

GRAND COULEE, March 18 (AP).—Three-year-old Olin Archer, Jr., was killed tonight as he ran jubilantly to meet his father. Police Officer George Andrus said the child ran into the yard as the father returned from a trip to Spokane and was crushed beneath his parent's automobile as the car was backed around.

Peaceful Scene From Eastern Canada

Dr. Allan Roy Dafoe, famed physician to the five Dionne sisters, meets the Biron girl triplets at Grace Hospital, Ottawa. The Biron triplets were born last November at Ottawa, and raised in a special incubator room. Dr. Dafoe smiles at the healthy youngsters, while Captain Larose, Dr. Fred Jefferies and Adjutant James, of the Salvation Army Hospital, hold the babies.

Britain and France Move Together in Swift Action For Meeting Nazi Menace

Trying to Obtain Russia's Aid in Protecting Existence of Rumania

DALADIER IS GIVEN POWER ASKED FOR

LONDON, March 18 (AP).—Great Britain and France today sent bitter denunciatory notes to Germany for her seizure of Czecho-Slovakia and acted quickly to block a reported Nazi move against Rumania.

Both nations, it was said on high authority, are trying to persuade Soviet Russia to join them in aiding Rumania to protect herself against a German threat to her independent economic existence.

Acting almost as a team, the two democracies lost no time in moving to cope with Germany's absorption of Czecho-Slovakia and the threat to Rumania.

CABINET IN SESSION

Prime Minister Chamberlain hurried back from Birmingham and presided over a two-and-a-half-hour Cabinet session—the first Saturday session of the Cabinet since last year's September crisis.

No official announcement followed the British Cabinet meeting. But it was stated authoritatively that the session dealt with a request from Rumania for a statement of Great Britain's position on the German-Rumanian situation.

Rumania was reported to have re-

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Rupert Tax Levy Lowest Of All Time

PRINCE RUPERT, March 18 (CP).—Prince Rupert's 1938 tax levy of $142,734.50 is the lowest in the city's history. There has been a substantial scaling down of the levy since 1932, when it amounted to $265,395.83, City Commissioner W. J. Alder says. The peak year was in 1920 when the levy amounted to $274,489.28.

Sled Dog Saved From Starvation Saves Three Men in Turn

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, March 18 (AP).—Lady, an eight-year-old husky, was "just a bag of skin and bones" when Frank Alba, pioneer prospector, rescued her (with a $5 bill) from starvation by a Dome Creek Indian last Fall.

But today the sled dog was a heroine to this snow-trails metropolis, after saving her injured master and two companions from starvation and freezing death during a recent Yukon River blizzard.

"We never would have survived if Lady hadn't had such stamina—and brains," Alba concluded. "She kept the team going during the blizzard."

ARE ATTAINING ARMING SPEED

United States Stepping Up Production of Planes and Trained Pilots

WASHINGTON, March 18 (AP).—The United States Government disclosed today it was stepping up to almost war-time speed its production of planes and training of pilots.

The United States Air Corps announced it was beginning an intensive nation-wide recruiting campaign intended to double the American Army's output of military pilots without waiting for the start of another programme in September to give primary training to 20,000 college students annually.

The War Department announced simultaneously that tests would be speeded to permit a quick start on mass production of attack bombers. The $552,000,000 arms programme already approved by the Senate and House of Representatives includes funds to build the planes—reputed to have speeds at least approaching six miles a minute.

CONSTRUCTING FACILITIES

Meantime, the Works Progress Administration reported it had expended more than $112,000,000 in relief roll wages for construction of aviation facilities usable in event of war.

Colonel F. C. Harrington, W.P.A. administrator, said that during the last three and one-half years 154 new airports had been constructed, extensions or improvements made to 494 others and hundreds of air navigation aids placed throughout the country.

While these facilities are mainly for civilian use, Harrington pointed out they also are important to the national defence.

In announcing the pilot recruiting campaign, officials estimated about 4,000 flying cadets would be put through intensified training in the next two years.

MAKING TRIAL OF RAID WARNING SYSTEM

LONDON, March 18 (AP).—The first nation-wide trial of Britain's air raid warning system will be staged from 9 p.m. to midnight (1 p.m. to 4 p.m., P.S.T.) Monday.

The Home Office asked the public to show "forbearance" should there be difficulty in putting through calls while the telephone system was being used for raid signals.

It was said the trial had been planned before Germany's absorption this week of most of Czecho-Slovakia.

Soldiers Are Surprised at Icy Welcome

PRAGUE, March 18 (AP).—Some German troops expressed amazement today at the icy greeting the Czechs gave them as they occupied Bohemia and Moravia. They said they thought they were coming here to quell a revolution and were surprised that they were not given a great welcome.

The German soldiers—most of them from eighteen to twenty years old—have shown good discipline. The khaki of the Czech army is still seen on the streets with the German field grey.

PASSES AT DESK AS PRESSES ROLL

Hugh Peter Evans, Copy Reader On Seattle Paper, Expires Suddenly

SEATTLE, March 18 (AP). — For more than a quarter of a century, Hugh Peter Evans lived with the smell of news in his nostrils—and today he died as he had lived.

Evans, member of the Seattle Post-Intelligencer copy desk, collapsed at his post as first bulletins from the Alder, Wash., crash of the Boeing stratoliner were being hurried across the desk for the early editions of the Sunday morning paper.

And as the presses rolled with the blazoning headlines Evans had helped to write, physicians abandoned attempts to revive him. A heart attack was blamed for his death.

Evans, fifty-nine, was a former "Morse man," who operated a telegraph key for the newspaper fifteen years before becoming a copy editor.

SOAP CAUSES DEATH

NEW YORK, March 18 (AP).—A fall on a cake of soap killed John Sobeshuk, forty-seven, today. He slipped while taking a bath and plunged through a window of his fifth floor apartment. His nude body fell into a courtyard.

FARMER TOO FAST

HAMILTON, Mont., March 18 (AP).—A farmer paid a $5 fine for speeding a tractor on Main Street today. Chief of Police Walter St. Clair said the farmer, Winston Morris, was "doing forty or better" with the machine.

DECLINE IN EXPORTS

BERLIN, March 18 (AP).—A decline of 29,300,000 marks (about $11,720,000) in German export trade for the month of February was announced by the German News Agency today.

Air Services Bring Victoria Closer to All Canadian Cities

Colonist Reporter Visits Montreal and Is Home Again in Less Than Three Days—Trans-Canada Service to Start April 1

By H. C. MacCALLUM

YESTERDAY this member of The Colonist editorial staff returned from a journey to Montreal and was away from the city less than three days. Furthermore, he spent nearly a day and one-half—thirty-two hours to be exact—in Canada's largest city. He left here at 5:40 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon and was back home again before 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Obviously such a trip must have been made by airplane. It was by way of Canadian Airways and Trans-Canada Air Lines. Such trips will be available to the public after the end of this month, when Trans-Canada Air Lines will inaugurate its passenger service. From then on, Victorians will be able to reach distant points in the Dominion faster than ever before. At the same time visitors to Victoria will be able to get here equally quickly.

RUSH OF VISITORS

If others see the sections of this Dominion away from the Pacific Coast as this observer there will be a tremendous rush of visitors, regardless of the nature of the transportation, because while Victoria

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GERMANY REJECTS FRENCH AND BRITISH NOTES; RECALLS ENVOY

Diplomatic Documents Charged Hitler's Annexation of Czecho-Slovakia Illegal and a Violation Of Munich Pact—Nazi Press Attacks Democracies—French Ambassador Returns Home

Caught by Cave-In Victim Does Most Work for Rescuers

YAKIMA, Wash., March 18 (AP).—Buried to the neck in a cave-in, eighteen feet below the surface in a well, for nearly seven hours, Clarence Denman, thirty-six, was brought to the top unhurt late today after doing most of the work of digging out. Rescuers dug down until Denman's arms were free, then he filled the bucket lowered to him until he was loose.

Hungarian Troops Control Eastern Carpatho-Ukraine

BERLIN, March 18 (AP).—Germany tonight promptly rejected British and French denunciations of her conquest of Czecho-Slovakia, declaring they "lacked every political, legal and moral basis." At the same time Chancellor Hitler called home his Ambassador to London, Herbert von Dirksen, "to make a report," reciprocating action taken by Great Britain yesterday in calling her Berlin envoy back to London. (France, following Britain's lead, also called her Berlin Ambassador home "to report.")

The Government announced that its rejection of the British and French denunciations had been delivered to the British and French Ambassadors, who earlier in the day had presented notes charging that Germany's course in Czecho-Slovakia was illegal and a violation of the Munich agreement.

CLOUDS OF CRITICISM

These developments occurred as reports of consternation came from European states within arm's reach of the expanding Nazi Empire. The Foreign Office watched the gathering cloud of criticism imperturbably.

The controled press bitterly threw back criticisms to the democracies.

The National Zeitung of Essen, in which Field Marshal Hermann Wilhelm Goering is interested, said in its Sunday edition that "examination in Prague of certain political documents in the last few days has demonstrated forcefully the hypocrisy of the English policy in the (Czecho-Slovak) question.

It added that Germany had sought Great Britain's friendship for years and received threats for an answer. "Therefore, one should not be surprised in London if Germany draws therefrom suitable conclusions.

"Out of the entire mass of hypo-

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Village Is Transported In Entirety

SINGAPORE, March 18 (AP).—An entire native village of 2,000 people has been transported from Java in the Dutch East Indies to the adjacent Island of Sumatra, because the land at the former site was unable to maintain the population.

Java accommodates 44,000,000 of the 60,000,000 people in the Archipelago, while Sumatra, though larger, supports only 8,000,000.

IS NOW READY TO TALK PEACE

Spanish Government Broadcasts Its Willingness to Nationalists

MADRID, March 18 (AP). — The Spanish Republican Government tonight broadcast to the Nationalists its readiness to negotiate immediately—for "an honorable peace" to end Spain's thirty-months-old civil war.

Minister of Foreign Affairs Julian Beeteiro, speaking from the Union radio station, declared "the moment has come" to talk peace and that he was using the radio "as the fastest means of communication" with the Nationalists.

PEACE MISSION

(At Valencia the Socialist newspaper Adelante reported General Segismundo Casado, Republican Defence Minister, had left Madrid for Paris, apparently on a peace mission.

("We do not think a fight to the end will be necessary," the newspaper said. "The Fascists (Nationalists) well know the seriousness and technical capacity of Casado.")

KILLED IN WOODS

EAGLESHAM, Alta., March 18 (CP).—Crushed by a falling tree, Anton Fortin, thirty-three, was killed while working in the woods near this settlement, about halfway between McLennan and Spirit River in the Peace River country. He was struck by the trunk of a tree that broke off as a larger tree that he had felled lodged against it.

PLOUGHED UP GOLD

BENTON, Ky., March 17 (AP).—Erle Seaford's decision to wreck a sheep house and use the ground for a garden hotbed brought him immediate dividends. Seaford's son broke the ground this morning and his ploughshare unearthed a jar containing $690 in $10 and $20 gold pieces.

U.S. APPLIES IMPORT LEVY

Treasury Places Additional 25 Per Cent Duty on German Goods

WASHINGTON, March 18 (AP).—On the heels of the State Department's strongly-worded denunciation of Germany's absorption of Czecho-Slovakia, the United States Treasury ordered an extra 25 per cent tariff today on many products that the Reich sends to America.

A Treasury spokesman, who announced the action, said it was taken with the State Department's knowledge, but refused comment when asked if it was related to Germany's seizure of the Czech Republic.

"The action," he said, "speaks for itself."

ECONOMIC ATTACK

There seemed little doubt, however, that this economic blow to Germany could be interpreted in any other light than as a forceful expression of the United States Government's extreme displeasure at what Sumner Welles, Acting Secretary of State, called yesterday the "wanton lawlessness" of the occupation of Czecho-Slovakia.

It recalled, too, that President Roosevelt said in his message to Congress last January that there were means "short of war, but stronger and more effective than mere words, of bringing home to

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MORE GOLD SENT TO U.S. TREASURY

New Acquisitions Send Total to Vast Proportions Following European Crisis

WASHINGTON, March 18 (CP).—The latest European events have pushed the gold holdings of the United States Treasury past the $15,000,000,000 mark.

Every time European owners of wealth get jittery about international politics, they rush their surplus cash to the United States for safekeeping, and considerable gold comes here to pay for dollar credits.

The Treasury's newest gold acquisitions send its total to more than 60 per cent of all the monetary gold in the world and to nearly half the estimated $33,000,000,000 worth of gold owned either by Governments or private persons.

B.C. RECEPTION IS CONSIDERED

Province Preparing for Arrival on Tuesday of Governor-General

The Provincial Government was delaying action yesterday on the question of an official reception for Governor-General Tweedsmuir at the Legislative Assembly Chamber, preferring to wait until His Excellency arrives on Tuesday and expresses his wish in the matter.

A previously expressed desire to rest while in Victoria, and an already-full programme of semi-public engagements announced here, made the holding of a reception indefinite. On the other hand, the Province would welcome the opportunity of extending to Lord and Lady Tweedsmuir a similar courtesy to that shown their predecessors.

Within comparatively recent years, Provincial receptions have been held for Lord and Lady Willingdon, and Lord and Lady Bessborough, during their respective terms at Rideau Hall.

Last year Their Excellencies were the guests of British Columbia on a special tour of Tweedsmuir Park, named after the Governor-General.

The viceregal party will arrive by boat from the Mainland on Tuesday afternoon.

HUNGARY SENDS THANKS TO ROME

Premier Declares Il Duce First Statesman to Recognize Country's Cause

ROME, March 18 (AP).—Hungary gave Italy credit today for the recovery of her "millennial" frontier with Poland through Hungarian annexation of Carpatho-Ukraine, and promised she would "never forget" Italy's help.

Hungarian Premier Count Paul Teleky, in a telegram to Premier Mussolini, said Il Duce "was the first statesmen in Europe who recognized the just cause of this country and who fore more than ten years has given innumerable evidences of his friendship and interest in Hungary."

FIGHT IN STREET

PORTLAND, Ore., March 18 (AP).—A detective and a special patrolman were injured slightly and three men were arrested following a free-for-all fight of some fifteen men in the downtown S.W. Broadway and Stark Street district early today. The three arrested men had been ejected from a night club nearby.

Westerns Even Up Hoop Series With Win Over Dominoes

Defending Canadian Basketball Champions Defeat Victoria Team, 41-38, in Second Game of British Columbia Play-Offs—Play Here Friday

By JOE DELAHUNTY

VANCOUVER, March 18.—Playing inspired ball after getting off to a bad start, the Westerns, holders of the Dominion men's senior basketball crown, evened up the British Columbia play-off series with the Victoria Dominoes here tonight at the V.A.C. gymnasium before a capacity crowd by a 41-38 score.

As the visiting club took the opener here Friday night by a three-point margin, the clubs now resume battle for the title in the capital city next Friday night at the High School gymnasium. A fourth is now a certainty and it will be run off on Saturday evening on the same court. If a fifth game is necessary it will be held in Victoria the following Monday.

Shooting with brilliant accuracy, passing the ball around at a lightning pace and breaking through the Westerns' defence at great speed, the Dominoes started off like champions and were soon enjoying a big lead, the score at one time being 17-7, with less than a minute left in the first quarter. The "break" in the game came in the early minutes of the second period, when Hank Rowe, playing a great ball game along with

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SUNKIST LEMONS, per doz. 12c
FRESH TEXAS SPINACH 2 lbs. 15c
WASHED CARROTS 7 lbs. 10c

CORN FLAKES 2 pkts. 13c
ORANGE MARMALADE 32-oz. Jar 19c

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Adhesive Tape, waterproof 5 yds. 9c
Epsom Salts, medicinal 5 lbs. 15c
School Exercise Ink Books, Regular 10c 3 for 29c
Phillips' Milk of Magnesia, 50c bottle 43c
Schick Injector Razors with 12 blades $1.00
Kent's Cigarette or Pipe Tobacco, ½-lb. pkg. 59c

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COFFEE 15c lb.

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HEINZ PICKLES Large jar 30c

ROYAL CROWN SAL SODA 2 lb. pkt. 8c
SOAP White Naptha 3 for 10c

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CHEESE MILD, lb. 18c
MEDIUM, lb. 23c
EGGS Grade A Large, doz. 30c
Grade A Medium, doz. 28c
Grade A Pullet, doz. 26c

Propose Referendum Before America Is Permitted to Fight

Supporters of Measure Seeking Debate in Congress—Similar Constitutional Amendment Was Defeated in House at the Last Session

WASHINGTON, March 18 (AP).—Spurred by American reaction to Chancellor Hitler's march into Czecho-Slovakia, supporters of a war referendum amendment decided today to seek speedy consideration of their proposal on the floor of the United States Congress.

In this move they won the backing of Senator Borah (Republican, Idaho), who said he favored bringing into the Senate for debate a resolution introduced by twelve Senators.

"I'm for the principle behind this resolution," Borah declared, adding, however, that he believed there must be some revision of it.

The proposed amendment would require an acquiescent vote of the United States people before Congress could declare war, except in case of invasion of threat of invasion of the Western Hemisphere by a hostile power.

FAVOR REFERENDUM

Senator Clark (Democrat, Idaho), one of a dozen Senators who introduced it, said he was convinced that American public opinion was more than ever in favor of the war referendum proposal because of the disturbing events in Europe.

"Letters are pouring in every day in favor of this amendment," Clark said, "and I have yet to receive a communication of any kind against it."

The referendum proposal has encountered outspoken opposition from both President Roosevelt and Secretary of State Hull. They have contended that it would not be workable and would hamper the Government in time of crisis. A similar proposal narrowly was defeated in the House last session.

TO ARRANGE HEARING

Senator LaFollette (Progressive, Wisconsin), a co-author, said proponents of the measure expected to arrange soon for hearings before a Senate judiciary sub-committee headed by Senator Hatch (Democrat, New Mexico). LaFollette expressed the opinion that once debate on the proposal opened in Congress there would be a strong demand from United States citizens for adoption of the amendment.

Hatch, who has voiced opposition to the proposal, said full hearings would be conducted when proponents were ready.

The New Mexico Senator expressed belief that when public reaction to the events in Europe crystallized there would be a trend against any legislation that might tie the hands of Congress and the President in a time of crisis.

NEUTRALITY ACT

This renewed activity on behalf of the war referendum proposal coincided with increased Congressional discussion of proposals to revise the Neutrality Act, given fresh impetus by President Roosevelt's statement at a press conference yesterday that changes in the neutrality law should be made at this session of Congress.

In this connection, Senator Connally (Democrat, Texas), predicted that United States administration leaders would work out a generally satisfactory bill from the various measures now pending before the Senate foreign relations committee.

Some committee members said there was discussion of a possible compromise based on a bill by Senator Thomas (Democrat, Utah), which would permit the President to embargo shipments to aggressor nations only, subject to the approval of Congress.

They said there appeared to be considerable support for a move to turn this proposal around, permitting Cogress to designate the aggressors before the President could act.

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Indian Girls Turn to Spinning Wheel

The old spinning wheels are spinning on Western Canada's Indian Reserves with a vengeance. Two years ago they were placed in a girls' school on the Battleford, Sask., agency as another step in an experiment to make Indians self-supporting. Girl students were taught how to use the wheels, and they in turn taught their mothers. Now, all the Indian women want them. Above is an interesting picture of some of the Indian girls with their spinning wheels.

MOVE TOGETHER TO MEET MENACE

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ceived—and then rejected—a virtual ultimatum from Germany to grant the Reich sole access to Rumania's rich oil, grain and other resources in exchange for German "protection" of Rumanian territory.

OFFICIAL DENIALS

The report met official denials in both Berlin and Bucharest, but the Press Association, news agency with excellent Government sources, carried a report that the Rumanian Minister to London had informed the Foreign Office of the demands and of the rejection.

Rumania was understood to have asked Great Britain and France particularly how far they were prepared to go to protect her in any stand against Germany.

The British and French Ambassadors to Berlin, who both are to come home "to report," but are expected to remain home for some time in diplomatic rebuff to Germany, were instructed to deliver formal notes to the German Government describing "Germany's military action in Czecho-Slovakia" as being "without legal basis" and "a complete repudiation of the Munich agreement."

CRISIS ATMOSPHERE

Downing Street was back in a "crisis atmosphere" tonight, reminiful of the fearful days of last Fall Cabinet Ministers were instructed to remain within quick access of London, although no further Cabinet meeting was called in advance of the regular session next Wednesday.

Mr. Chamberlain, however, was expected to have a long session with Foreign Secretary Viscount Halifax tomorrow and perhaps call a meeting of the inner Cabinet.

In Downing Street several hundred people stood around in the cold waiting for a glimpse of the Ministers as they appeared for the meeting. The atmosphere was tense.

POWERS VOTED

PARIS, March 18 (AP).—The Chamber of Deputies voted Premier Daladier unprecedented dictatorial powers tonight as informed quarters disclosed a French-British move to enlist Soviet Russia's aid in a triple front against German economic pressure on Rumania.

The sweeping decree powers which Daladier demanded to enable France to move as fast as the dictatorships, passed by a vote of 321 to 264 in the Chamber. Senate approval at tomorrow's session was considered a foregone conclusion.

In another move to put the nation's defences in order, the Premier called an emergency Cabinet session for tomorrow at which members of Parliament said he would ask approval of decrees calling to the colors specialists from a number of military classes.

WILLING TO RESIST

French sources said meanwhile that King Carol of Rumania had advised Great Britain and France of his willingness to resist Chancellor Hitler's eastward drive if they could provide markets for Rumanian exports of which Germany now is the greatest purchaser.

The Rumanian monarch was said to have asked Paris and London for a reply within forty-eight hours on what support they could give against the Nazi drive.

Foreign Minister Georges Bonnett conferred in quick succession with the Rumanian ambassador, former Premier George Tatarescu, British Ambassador Sir Eric Phipps and Jacob Surits, Soviet ambassador.

VOTES OF CONFIDENCE

The Chamber's final vote of approval on the decree powers which would give Daladier dictatorial rule until November 30, was the fifth vote of confidence received by the Premier in a single day's session.

With Senate adoption tomorrow a virtual certainty, it appeared that by Monday Daladier would be in a position to wield more power than any post-war Premier of France.

TRAGEDY RESULT OF TEST FLIGHT

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chine struck with a terrific roar in a narrow ravine, less than a quarter of a mile from town.

Arthur Jacobson, justice of the peace here, said "the plane's engines seemed to stop; then they speeded up. As the plane spun down, something fell out. It looked for a time as if the plane might fail in town. It appeared from here that one engine and the tail fell off."

WITNESS CRASH

Mrs. L. W. Gilbert, of La Grande, near here, said she and her husband "stood transfixed, realizing the horror of the awful crash that was to come.

"There was a terrific roar just before the plane struck. Before the ship hit the ground, the tail came off."

The stratoliner was the first one of four being built at the Seattle airplane plant, designed to carry thirty-three day passengers or twenty-five with night accommodations, plus a crew of five and two tons of mail or express.

BODY AIR-SEALED

Planned for flights at the lower edge of the sub-stratosphere (about 20,000 feet elevation) the plane's major innovation was a supercharged cabin. The body of the ship, resembling a small dirigible with wings, was air-sealed and equipped with pumps and valves, working from the engines, to build up an automatically controlled air pressure equal to that at sea level, no matter the altitude at which the plane was flying.

The plane had been making test flights over and around Seattle for several days, at comparatively low altitudes, preliminary to its first sub-stratosphere tests next week.

The outer left motor fell on a hilltop, 1,000 yards from where the plane landed about 200 yards from the Tacoma-Mount Rainier Highway.

The left wing broke off about ten feet from the fuselage and between the two left-wing motors. One section landed about 200 yards and another about 500 yards from the plane. Bits of wreckage from the tail were scattered over a quarter-mile area and many were gathered up by souvenir hunters.

The plane landed flatly and the bodies were at flight stations throughout the ship. Pilot Barr's body was still at the controls.

Nash Bought by Local Taxi Firm

W. E. Ferriday Chooses Air-Conditioned Car to Add to His Up-to-Date Fleet—Unique Test Made

W. E. Ferriday, proprietor of the Oak Bay Taxi Company, has recently purchased a 1939 Nash Sedan to add to his up-to-date fleet of cars. The purchase was made through Burton & Williams Motors, Limited, local distributors for Nash and it places in service the first 1939 Nash to be used in taxi work in Victoria.

A special feature of this car is the air conditioning or "Weather Eye." This allows the passenger to ride in absolute comfort, regardless of the weather. The outside air is drawn into the system, brought to just the right temperature and circulated throughout car, being constantly changed. A unique test of the Nash "Weather Eye" was recently made in London, England, when the car was subjected to gas tests and found to be a perfect anti-gas filter. While Victorians are hardly likely to be subjected to these conditions, it nevertheless proves how the air is purified before it enters the car's interior.

Power, beauty and comfort were the other factors that decided Mr. Ferriday's choice when adding to his fleet of cars. This new sedan is now available to his patrons either through the Oak Bay Taxi Company or through the subsidiary office, the Jubilee Cab Company ...

COLWOOD MEN'S CLUB

A meeting of the club will be held on Wednesday at 8 p.m., in the Colwood Hall. This being open night, members are requested to bring their friends along. The meeting is to be addressed by Captain Elmore Philpott, and the subject, "The International and Economic Situation."

SEATTLE WINS

SEATTLE, March 18 (AP).—Seattle evened up the Pacific Northwest Hockey League play-off series tonight, defeating Portland 4-2 in the second game. The Seahawks handed Portland a defeat on the Seattle floor almost as stinging as the one Seattle received in Portland Wednesday, when Portland won 3-0, at home.

NO INCOME TAX FOR TEN YEARS

CANBERRA (BUP).—A ten-year exemption from income tax in respect of agricultural and pastoral production, mining and fisheries is one of the most important aspects of the Federal Government's scheme to develop the sparsely-populated northern territory of Australia.

Other features include a rebate on the petrol tax for inland users, a five-year plan for roads and an advance to settlers to help them to convert cattle grazing to sheep grazing land.

Long scientific investigations have proved to the Government that the long-neglected north can be turned into a rich asset to the Commonwealth and the Empire.

CHINOOK MELTS SNOW

CRANBROOK, B.C., March 18 (CP).—Chinook wind today removed most of a six-inch snowfall which made traveling heavy this week. Heavy vehicles have been banned from several sections of the Trans-Provincial Highway.

EDITOR PASSES

BRIGHTON, England, March 18 (CP). — Herbert Bailey, forty-four, managing editor of the British United Press for the last fifteen years, died today. He developed pleurisy following an attack of influenza. His widow and a stepdaughter survive.

The teacher faced the class.

"Now, children," she stated, "we will take our first question for today."

She called upon little Quentin, aged eight.

"Quentin," she asked, "what do they raise the most in China?"

Quentin smiled broadly.

"That's easy," he yodeled, "Chinese!"

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Captain of Freighter Survives Over Sixty Attacks by Bombers

British Skipper Tells of Narrow Escapes in Two Years' Blockade-Running to Spanish Ports—Twice in Torpedoed Ship

VANCOUVER, March 18 (?).—A blockade-running sea captain who in two adventure-filled years has been through sixty-eight bombing raids in Spanish Loyalist ports, arrived in Vancouver today as skipper of the British freighter Hadleigh.

Captain W. H. Gould told of streets "running with blood" as Nationalist planes dropped bombs on helpless Barcelona.

"That was last March," he said. "Barcelona was bombed thirty-four times in seventeen hours while I was there. Thousands were killed."

QUAY DEMOLISHED

At one time, he said, four bombs dropped within fifty feet of his ship. Three of them exploded, demolishing the quay and tearing gear and tackle from the vessel.

"The blast blew me from the deck into my cabin," Captain Gould related. "A man who had been standing on the quay was blown in with me."

Captain Gould spent two years blockade running, his vessel carrying gasoline and coal to Barcelona. Two ships he served on in the Great War were torpedoed and he was aboard a ship in Halifax loaded with 2,000 tons of live shells during the Halifax explosion, in 1917.

MERE CHILD'S PLAY

"Another ship I served aboard—the Glen Artney—was destroyed by fire at Shanghai," he said. "But all these were child's play compared to Barcelona. I hope I never see such things again."

Captain Gould said he hopes to spend the remainder of his sea life carrying grain from Vancouver to England.

These being busy days in alliance-forming circles in Europe, the proper form of leave-taking over there becomes "Pacts vobiscum."

AIR SERVICES BRING ALL CITIES CLOSER

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and Vancouver were enjoying the early days of Spring, the rest of the country was completely in the grip of Winter. Everywhere there was snow.

At Lethbridge, the temperature on Wednesday night was 8 degrees below zero, but yesterday morning the Southern Alberta city was enjoying a Chinook wind that had the feel of Spring in it. At Regina, Winnipeg, Kapuskasing, Ont.; North Bay, Ont., and Ottawa it was freezing hard and there was a bitter wind to add to the Victorian's misery. At Montreal it was a bit milder but freezing most of the time and snow was piled high in the gutters everywhere.

MOUNTAINS MAGNIFICENT

The picture was not as bad as it sounds, however, for there was compensation in the scenery. Yesterday the mountains of Southern British Columbia were bathed in sunshine. They were magnificent. Snow-covered peaks, hundreds as far as the eye could see, glistened like mighty jewels, while overhead the blue sky was deep and clear. From an altitude of 12,000 feet it seemed there was nothing but mountains. But they were glorious in their beauty. East of Okanagan Lake fifty miles clouds filled the valleys, so the sun shone on a vast lake of fluffy cotton wool through which there appeared islands, at scattered points, that were mountain peaks. Mount Baker could be seen ahead for fifty miles, a giant among glistening giants.

On the Prairies the scenery is a trifle monotonous but not without interest as the little towns appear and are lost as the aircraft speeds along at between three and four miles a minute. On Wednesday night, the skies of Saskatchewan and part of Manitoba were aglow with the everchanging lights of the Aurora Borealis. Similarly Northern Ontario becomes a trifle tiresome with its rock and lakes and swamps. But on both the Prairies and in Northern Ontario the cloud formations are always fascinating if the terrain lacks appeal.

Eastern Ontario and the Ottawa Valley present another type of scenery, for the areas are largely agricultural with scattered woodlots dotting the fields, at present snow-covered.

COMFORT AND SAFETY

Thus speed and scenery are two points of appeal in travel by air. The two other factors that must receive consideration are comfort and safety. Regarding the former, the Lockheed Super-Electras are held to be comparable to any other types of their size on both points. Noise consists of a steady and not unpleasant drone. Temperatures are fully controlled to suit the passengers. The seats, deeply cushioned, have adjustable headrests, backs and bottoms can be swung about and spaced to give ample legroom. There is a large window beside each seat giving an unimpaired view. Ventilators can be adjusted to suit each passenger and the individual reading lights have adjustable shades.

On each seat there is a safety belt which the passenger, under the watchful eye of the stewardess, fastens when the aircraft is taking off or landing as a safeguard against bumps. Smoking is permitted when the aircraft is in flight, but not when landing, taking off or on the ground during refueling.

As to safety, the subject is broad and sometimes contentious, but favorable factors are that the rules governing the training and operations of the entire personnel are probably the strictest anywhere, and they are not made to be broken. The aircraft crews are of the type which instantly commands respect and confidence, and the equipment throughout, aircraft and aids to operation are the latest proven types and are maintained constantly in equal-to-new condition.

If care in details is indicative, the first trans-Canada passenger service by air should be immediately and lastingly successful. This is the impression gained by the writer in his trip to Montreal and return, and from the fact that more than 2,500,000 miles have been flown with the mails and in test trips.

On Their Way to England

C. A. McDONALD

HOWARD GODFREY

J. A. BUTLER

JAMES DOUGLAS

WILLIAM G. RADCLIFFE

ANOTHER group of British Columbia boys are traveling across America this week, and will sail from New York and Saint John for Liverpool and London. They have all been recommended by Captain H. Seymour-Biggs for service with the Royal Air Force. Altogether there are seven lads. Four of them will sail from New York, two will embark at Saint John, while one is working his way. Howard Godfrey, William G. Radcliffe and James Douglas, all of New Westminster, and J. A. Butler, Vancouver, are sailing from New York; and C. A. McDonald, New Westminster, is going the hard way. The boys for Saint John are: T. R. Trew, Vancouver, and Raymond Dearing, Salmon Arm. Their pictures were received too late for today's issue.

GERMANY REJECTS OFFICIAL NOTES

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critical attacks and political actions which now are directed against the Reich," the paper continued. "Germany draws this conclusion:

"Against the entirety of threats, Germany places the entirety of her defence."

SEIZED DOCUMENTS

Voelkischer Beobachter also spoke of documents found in Prague which it said would play a "significant role in the history of these moving times."

It declared that British diplomacy had "supported Benes (former Czecho-Slovak President Eduard Benes) in his deranged course from May to September, 1938."

While all Europe anxiously watched the lengthening shadow of the swastika, Chancellor Hitler rode from Vienna amid tumultuous "heils" to a secret stopping place on his way to Berlin. He left to lieutenants the task of imposing the Nazi will on Bohemia-Moravia and ironing out relations with Slovakia, Germany's new protectorates.

The Fuehrer was expected to make a triumphal entry into Berlin at 7:30 p.m. (10.30 a.m. P.S.T.) on Sunday.

SUPREME IN POWER

He named Baron Konstantin von Neurath, former German Foreign Minister, as president of the secret Cabinet Council, as Reichs-Protector of Bohemia-Moravia. Von Neurath, responsible only to the Fuehrer, will have supreme power over 7,000,000 Czechs who have become German subjects.

Meanwhile, Rumania feared for her fertile wheat fields and oil wells, alarm was reported in Lithuania, concern was shown in Poland, suspicion grew of a coup d'etat in Danzig and the possibility was mentioned of German aggression against Hungary.

Helmuth Wohlthat, adviser to Field Marshal Hermann Wilhelm Goering, Nazi economic dictator, was in Bucharest, apparently attempting to tighten Germany's economic sway in Southeastern Europe.

A Government spokesman, however, described as "arrant nonsense" reports that Rumania and Hungary were slated to follow Czecho-Slovakia in Hitler's book of conquests.

ON UKRAINE FRONT

TIVADER, Carpatho-Ukraine (On the Rumanian Frontier), March 18 (AP).—Hungarian troops tonight completed occupation of Eastern Carpatho-Ukraine, facing Rumania, and began blocking roads into Rumania.

The main road in the easternmost sector, seized by a column under Colonel Baron Unger, was blocked with three trucks and barbed wire to a depth of a quarter of a mile back from the border. Troops dug deep ditches on either side of the road.

An estimated 200,000 Hungarian troops were in Eastern Ruthenia alone for an undisclosed purpose.

Excellently equipped and uniformed, they were pouring into the eastern area, where concrete roads facilitate progress even by the heaviest trucks.

The roads were being blocked, it was said, to stop all traffic with Rumania.

NO FORTIFICATIONS

The frontier between Carpatho-Ukraine (Ruthenia) and Rumania has no fortifications, and the highways, built by Czecho-Slovakia, had been meant for the use of Rumanian reinforcements if Czecho-Slovakia needed support.

Now Hungary benefits by this system of highways and excellent railway lines.

Carpatho-Ukraine has been almost completely cleared of Czech troops by the fast-moving Hungarian units, but Ukrainian irregular bands, hiding in the mountain recesses, still were holding out.

The vast number of Hungarian troops had orders to speed the pacification of Carpatho-Ukraine. This was interpreted as a sign that they would be urgently needed on the Rumanian frontier.

Large patrols of Hungarian infantrymen were scouring the Rumanian border.

It was learned that Hungary recently had received more than 5,000 trucks from Germany and Italy. She is short of motor vehicles. Thousands of packhorses have been requisitioned from farms and numbers of peasant carts are moving up to the frontier.

DIFFERENT NOW

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NEW OFFICERS ARE INSTALLED

L. M. McClellan Senior Counsellor of United Commercial Travelers

L. M. McClellan was elected as senior counsellor at the annual meeting of the United Commercial Travelers, held in the K. of C. Hall last night. Mr. McClellan for many years has been a prominent figure on the Island.

Other officers chosen were: Gordon McClure, junior counsellor; Frank W. Wilfert, past senior counsellor; R. W. Jamieson, secretary-treasurer; Warren W. Martin, conductor; W. H. Newcombe, page; T. L. Sturgess, sentinel; Adam W. Cochrane, chaplain; Albert E. James, F. H. A. Norton and W. Stanley Moore were re-elected for another two-year term on the executive. Hugh E. Goulbourn having still another year to serve.

Frank W. Wilfert and R. W. Murdoch were elected representatives to the grand council, which will meet in Spokane on May 19 and 20. T. B. Veitch and V. C. Palmer were elected as alternates.

Grand junior counsellor of Oregon, Washington and British Columbia, W. L. Woodhouse, on behalf of the council, presented T. B. Veitch with a handsome gold jewel as a token of appreciation for the splendid services rendered during his six years of office.

DEEPLY IMPRESSED

Past Grand Counsellor E. G. Rowebottom, in a very capable manner, officiated as installing officer, addressing each individual officer on the duties of his office. Past Counsellor R. W. Murdoch was master of ceremonies during the evening. The members and the ladies' auxiliary, which turned out in full force, were deeply impressed with the solemn service so ably put on.

Mr. McClellan, as the new senior counsellor, expressed his thanks in being elected to the highest office of the council, and said he would endeavor to uphold the high mark of efficiency established by his predecessors.

A very pleasant evening was brought to a close by a social.

PROF. F. H. SOWARD TO LECTURE ON MONDAY

Professor F. H. Soward will speak on "The Outlook in International Affairs," on Monday at 8:15 p.m. in the Central Junior High School under the auspices of the University Extension Association. Professor Soward is in the department of history at the University of British Columbia, and is an outstanding Canadian authority on current international affairs. The public is invited to this lecture.

Obituary

SHORE—There passed away on Friday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Mrs. Mary Hammon Shore, of 239 Superior Street. Mrs. Shore, who was eighty-three years of age, was born at Deleware, Ontario, and had resided in this city for over forty years. She leaves in sorrow one son, Frederick, Deleware, Ontario. The remains are resting at the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Announcement of funeral will be made later.

FAICKNEY—Funeral services will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at McCall Brothers' Funeral Home for Francis Murry Faickney. Rev. William Allan, pastor of Wilkinson Road United Church, will conduct the rites, after which interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

GENT—Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 12:45 o'clock in McCall Brothers' Funeral Chapel for Shirley Anne, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold F. Gent. Rev. J. E. Bell will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

PRINTER—Many friends attended the funeral of Charles Edwin Printer held on Saturday afternoon from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home. Rev. O. L. Jull conducted the service, during which the hymns "Unto the Hills" and "Peace, Perfect Peace" were sung. Interment was made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery, with the following as pallbearers: E. Townsend, W. E. Hodges, S. G. Hodges, A. Lee, W. Latster and A. R. Hatch.

GRIMSHAW — The funeral of George Grimshaw was held on Saturday afternoon from McCall Bros. Funeral Home. Rev. O. L. Jull conducted the service, during which the hymn, "Abide With Me," was sung. Interment was made in Colwood Burial Park, with the following as pallbearers: G. A. Butler, J. H. Potts, A. Thomas, J. Egan, A. R. Harness and W. Clews.

CRUSE—The funeral of Clara Alice Cruse will take place on Monday afternoon from McCall Bros. Funeral Home at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Shady Creek Cemetery, Saanichton.

ANDERSON — The funeral of James Anderson will be held on Monday afternoon from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home at 3.30 o'clock. Interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

JOHNSTON—Funeral services for James Johnston took place yesterday afternoon from Sands Mortuary, Ltd. Evangelists George Prasher and G. E. Horne conducted the rites, and the congregational hymns sung were "Peace, Perfect Peace" and "Rock of Ages." The many beautiful floral offerings which covered and surrounded the casket betokened the high esteem in which Mr. Johnston was held by his relatives and many friends. The following acted as pallbearers: E. O'Neill, E. Simmons, B. Armstrong, R. Stewart, J. Towe and J. McLemon. Interment took place in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery, where graveside services were conducted and the hymn sung was "I Have a Friend."

CLARK—There passed away at the family residence, Otter Point on Friday of Mrs. Bessy Annie Clark, aged seventy-three years. She was born in Southampton, England, and had been a resident of Otter Point for about forty-five years. She is survived by one son, Reginald, Otter Point; two daughters, Mrs. George Davies, Otter Point, and Mrs. Henry Dods, Duncan; also thirteen grandchildren. The remains are resting at Sands' Mortuary, Ltd. On Wednesday the funeral cortege will leave the chapel at 1 o'clock and services will be conducted at 2 o'clock in Knox Presbyterian Church, Otter Point, by Rev. Samuel Lundie. Interment will be made in the church cemetery.

JOHN—The death occurred yesterday at North Saanich of George David John, at the age of fifty-one years. A native of North Saanich, the deceased was the eldest son of Mrs. Margaret Smith and the late David John. He is survived by his wife and four daughters, Phyllis, Kathleen, Edna and Norma, and two sons, David and Kenneth, all at the family residence, also two sisters, Mrs. Mabel Thomas, Seattle, and Miss Jean John, North Saanich, and two brothers, William and Joseph John, North Saanich. Funeral arrangements will be announced later. The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Home.

LIBERALS TO MEET

The regular monthly meeting of Ward Four Liberal Association will be held at Liberal headquarters on Wednesday night next, at 8 o'clock. All members are expected to attend, as important business will be dealt with and there will be good speakers.

PRIZE WINNERS

Prize winners at the weekly whist drive in Camp 104, Otter Point, were: Ladies, Mrs. Davies; men's, H. Noock. Consolation prizes went to Mrs. John Blakeney and H. Laidlaw.

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Sunday, March 19, 1939

EUROPE'S CRISIS

The latest installment in Europe's most serious crisis since 1914 is the demands made on Roumania by Germany. They are of a politico-economic character, and, as at first framed, have been refused by King Carol on behalf of his country. Those demands have been amended somewhat but are not acceptable to the Roumanian people. King Carol has stated the determination of his country to fight, if attacked, and he is seeking to ascertain the attitude of Great Britain, France and Russia in such an emergency. Judging from the steam roller methods of German power politics it will be necessary for those countries to act, and no matter how quickly, Herr Hitler may not be prevented from implementing his desires in Roumania. The evidence of experience is that his march to the Black Sea will continue. It would only be halted temporarily by any resistance that Roumania could offer. Hungary already is obeying the dictates of the German ruler, and seemingly, is ready at any time to fall within the political orbit of the Reich.

It is with Germany as if "increase of appetite had grown by what it fed on." Mein Kampf is being translated into action. Great Britain, France and the United States have protested to Berlin against the ruthless swallowing up of Czecho-Slovakia. Protests are couched in words that convey no indication of what will happen, or what action those who protest will take in the event of a repetition of ruthlessness. Herr Hitler tore the Munich Agreement into bits. His word is not his bond; he has no belief in guarantees and has set his course of action by the Bismarckian motto of "blood and iron." The demands on Roumania are the prelude to a new thrust in Europe, if the policies pursued so far in the cases of Austria, Sudetenland and Czecho-Slovakia are any criterion. The latest threatened movement, if implemented, would bring the hegemony of the Reich to the borders of the Russian Ukraine, and make Germany a more potential menace than ever before to Bulgaria, Turkey, Greece and Asia Minor—open up, in fact, the opportunity for her to become an influence of power in Mediterranean Sea, one of the life lines of the British Empire.

These are more anxious days in the chancelleries of Europe than those preceding the Munich Settlement. The issue between democracy and totalitarianism becomes more insistent with the spread of Nazist power over Southeastern Europe. Prices are falling on all the stock exchanges of the world. The United States, as a punitive measure, because of Herr Hitler's absorption of Czecho-Slovakia, is to impose penalty duties on imports from Germany, commencing next month. If it is true, as the Fuehrer says, that his country "must trade or die," it is a strange commentary on this conception that he should be dictating a course of action that has antagonized those nations which possess the greatest markets for the sale of German goods. Measures have been decreed by Capetown for all necessary precautions to be taken for the defence of the mandated colony of Southwest Africa. France has recalled her ambassador from Berlin. Great Britain's Cabinet met in an emergency session last night and that of France is meeting this morning. The High Commissioners of the various Dominions have been in consultation with the British authorities.

The gravity of the whole situation has been intensified by Germany's demands on Roumania which are to the effect that she should change her economic policy and concentrate on agriculture and oil and ship the products of these to Germany. In return Germany says she would undertake to guarantee the frontiers of Roumania. The latter State, having in mind the outcome of a similar guarantee given by Herr Hitler in the matter of the frontiers of Czecho-Slovakia, after the cession of Sudetenland, will not, at least os far, acquiesce in the demands. Little doubt exists in the minds of the people of democracies that refusal will lead to drastic action by Germany. That at the moment is the crux of the situation. What steps, if any, will the democracies take to stay the course of future German aggression? The British Government and the British people want peace. They are prepared to explore every avenue for its maintenance, however grave the crisis that arises. What they cannot tolerate is anything savoring of a challenge to their own liberty and they are foreseeing today the possibility of such a challenge and are considering what may be done to prevent it eventuating. That, too, must be the conception that prevails in all democratic countries and these are showing more of a disposition to act in unison in the present crisis than was the case during the fateful days before the Munich Settlement.

The issue is if there is any measure, short of war, that can be brought to bear to effect a change in Germany's policy of trampling on the rights of small nations. It is a grave thing to say about the head of any great nation, but the world now knows that Herr Hitler's word cannot be trusted. There is that obstacle to the diplomatic settlement to call a halt to the present aggression in Southeastern Europe and it is an obstacle which will continue to raise its menacing head as long as German militarism is of the character that the Fuehrer has created. France and Great Britain have refused to recognize the absorption of Czecho-Slovakia in the Reich as legitimate, but it may be doubted if Germany will regard a protest of this character as of serious import. To her it seems that possession is nine points of the law. The drastic demands now being made on Roumania are being made with upwards of twenty divisions of the Germany Army ready to march onwards from Czechoslovakia (that was) to enforce them. They are not being held in readiness without the possibility of their use being regarded as a cardinal principle of German policy. It appears, therefore, that the fate of Roumania hangs in the balance, and those who know how quickly Germany can strike will realize that even before the democratic Powers reach any decision in the present crisis the occupation of that State may have commenced. If Roumania resists, as King Carol says she will, then the chances of a general war become enhanced. How to stave off this possibility—how to save Roumania—is the supreme concern of Great Britain and France at the moment, but both Powers must by now be convinced that words will accomplish nothing, that the time has arrived for action.

Already what amounts to action, instead of words, is in evidence. The French Chamber of Deputies has given Premier Daladier power to act by decree, which amounts to making him a dictator for the time being. He can decide on what measures are necessary for the country's safety and do whatever else is desirable in the way of preparedness, without consulting his Parliament. The British Cabinet has made decisions which have not yet been given publicity. The United States announces the imposition of countervailing duties on imports from Germany to go into effect next month. Something more positive than anything that is arranged for or contemplated, so far as is known, will be needed to bring Germany to her senses. Herr Hitler may labor under the hallucination that the democracies are afraid to take action. He is in error if he thinks that he can continue his march onward in Europe. If the time is not now it is approaching fast when, if he does not abandon his militaristic policy, he will find himself face to face with an authority and strength that are determined to maintain the principle of liberty among mankind.

A PIOUS SHAM

There is a Penitentiaries Bill before Parliament, supposed to remedy conditions about which there has been complaint. "I wonder," asks Senator Arthur Meighen, "if any honorable member (of the Senate) knows what is in this bill? . . I find there is nothing on earth in it except the abolition of one job and the creation of three. Thus is reform achieved, thus is the underworld to be healed, the new leaf opened to the forgotten man. We are past the dark ages of vengeance and penance, and we are now under the sunlight of humanitarianism, because we have three commissioners of penitentiaries instead of one."

In commenting on this Bill and on Senator Meighen's exposure of the sham character of it, The Ottawa Journal says: "Our capacity to fool ourselves, or to permit ourselves to be fooled by others, seems to be inexhaustible. Again and again hard experience tries to teach us, to tell us that human progress is a hard, slow campaign, but it matters little. 'Knowledge comes, but wisdom lingers'; and we go on from year to year, and from generation to generation, confusing change with imagined advancement, refusing to test phrases and promises that do violence to realities . . . It would be pleasant to think that the disillusionment has been good for us, that we have profited by experience. Things said about this sham of a penitentiaries bill tend to deprive us of that comfort."

STRONG CAPTAIN

O Voice that calls to me from different places
I have ~~not~~ seen, but visioned in a dream
Thy sound compelling startles my contentment
In this safe harbor from the tossing stream.

O Voice—I know Thee who Thou art: Strong Captain,
Master of ships and men and of the sea,
There is no night can 'fright Thee, nor a tempest
Can cast away the soul embarked with Thee.
Thine eyes have searched the ancient farthest ocean,
Full-sailed Thy ship drives onward toward the day;
I hear Thy summons to that distant voyage;
It is a cry no wind can hurl away.

I hear Thee and I answer, O my Captain,
I will aboard and quickly put to sea,
For where Thou art 'tis better than in harbor,
And in the breeze beside Thee I am free.
—R. B. Y. Scott, in The New Outlook.

The gloomy and the resentful are always found among those who have nothing to do or who do nothing.—Dr. Johnson.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7:00 p.m., March 18, 1939.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

Pressure has fallen over British Columbia and a moderate depression is centred northwest of Queen Charlotte Islands. The weather has become quite mild throughout this province and showers have been general on the Coast.

Temperature is rising in the Prairie Provinces.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5:00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Precipitation	Min.	Max.
Victoria	.01	38	46
Nanaimo	Trace	38	49
Vancouver	Trace	32	48
Kamloops	..	36	48
Prince George	..	40	50
Estevan Point	.25	42	46
Prince Rupert	.02	38	48
Langara	.06	38	46
Atlin	..	20	38
Dawson	.08	6*	8
Seattle	..	38	58
Portland	..	42	70
San Francisco	..	52	62
Spokane	..	28	46
Penticton	..	38	..
Vernon	..	33	..
Kelowna	..	39	54
Grand Forks	..	32	44
Nelson	..	33	44
Kaslo	..	31	..
Cranbrook	..	28	52
Calgary	..	22	52
Edmonton	..	22	52
Swift Current	..	20	42
Moose Jaw	..	0	42
Prince Albert	..	..	42
Saskatoon	..	0	..
Qu'Appelle	..	4*	40
Winnipeg	..	10*	34

*Below zero.

SATURDAY

Minimum	38
Maximum	46
Average	42
Minimum on the grass	31

Weather, raining; sunshine, 18 minutes.

5:00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.06; wind, E., 6 miles; raining.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.08; wind, SW., 4 miles; cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.98; wind, E., 4 miles; cloudy.

Prince George—Barometer, 29.82; wind, S., 6 miles; cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.92; wind, SE., 16 miles; cloudy.

Langara—Barometer, 29.84; wind, SW., 20 miles; raining.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.08; wind, SE., 6 miles; raining.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.08; wind, W., 4 miles; raining.

Portland—Barometer, 30.04; wind, N., 4 miles; clear.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.06; wind, NW., 12 miles; cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.12; wind, W., 12 miles; cloudy.

Note and Comment

By Sandham Graves

Things happen when futurist writing discusses surrealist painting, as The New York Times showed recently, when two excerpts from "Picasso," a book about the Catalan painter Pablo Picasso, written by Miss Gertrude Stein, were reproduced. One excerpt discusses the painter himself. Wrote Miss Stein:

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"Picasso was always possessed by the necessity of emptying himself, of emptying himself completely, of always emptying himself, he is so full of it that all his existence is the repetition of a complete emptying, he must empty himself, he can never empty himself of being Spanish, but he can empty himself of what he has created. So everyone says that he changes, but really it is not that, he empties himself and the moment that he has completed emptying himself he must recommence emptying himself, he fills up again so quickly."

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From which one would gather that the painter was thorough, at least. But Miss Stein continues in her book to describe the color changes in the paintings of Picasso, as the reviewer points out by quoting the second excerpt, which is as follows:

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"There was really some blue in this period but the blue had rather a rose character, so then it was really a rose period, that was followed by the beginning of the struggle for cubism, the African period which had some rose but which turned first to beige, later to brown and red as in my portrait and after that there was an intermediary period, before real cubism and that was rather a green period. It is less known but it is very, very beautiful, landscapes and large still-lifes, also some figures. After that there were pale landscapes which little by little were followed by grey still-lifes. It was during this grey period that Picasso really for the first time showed himself to be a great colorist."

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The disconcerting thing about Miss Stein is that she sometimes uses a comma in its accustomed place upsetting all previous calculations and giving rise to the belief that she could put them all in if she wished even if she had to do so in a group fashion such as this ..... would be if one decided to use any commas at all which nobody in their right mind would ever dream of doing because everybody hates the pesky little things and so does this column which brings us I hope to a period.

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All of which points nicely to the fact that, if it is logical to empty oneself in such a fashion, and there is someone else at hand to explain it all lucidly, the day may yet come when there will be a public that will understand what it is all about. Indeed, from certain manifestations in Europe and elsewhere in recent days one is encouraged to believe that part of the public required to be developed to understand surrealism is already at hand.

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Moreover, certain political and other manifestations of recent date in this country have been of a distinctly encouraging nature. Provision has been made for more and better statistics. A survey has been commenced of the number of jobs available to men and women on Vancouver Island. There has been begun a month by month count of the number of gallons of gasoline consumed by the motoring public—in their cars, of course. It is, at least a start.

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This column, which has struggled by day and by night to learn something of the art of "straight" expression, realizes now that that is sheer folly, and not what the public wants at all. Translating Jonathan Paderewski Wirehair into the latest swing mode should be fun, after this. We shall start by taking all the periods, and throwing them out of the window. The semi-colons, colons, dashes, and other common divisions of thought must go, too. We shall save a few commas, nice fat round ones, to seed in to the copy just here and there for remembrance sake, and we shall wind up with something quite like this:

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"Paddy Wirehair has long been possessed of the desire to fill himself, of filling himself completely of always and forever filling himself he empties of food so fast, though he can never empty himself of being a terrier he will empty himself of food in a few minutes and want more, so that he fills himself with the complete abandon of a second hand car at a filling station, for nature hateth a vacuum or a dog that does not fill himself completely."

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

MARCH

Time of Sunrise and Sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1939

Date	Sun-rise	Sun-set	Date	Sun-rise	Sun-set
1	6:57	17:58	17	6:24	18:20
2	6:55	17:57	18	6:22	18:22
3	6:53	17:59	19	6:20	18:24
4	6:51	18:00	20	6:18	18:25
5	6:49	18:02	21	6:16	18:26
6	6:47	18:04	22	6:14	18:28
7	6:45	18:05	23	6:12	18:30
8	6:43	18:07	24	6:10	18:31
9	6:41	18:08	25	6:07	18:32
10	6:39	18:10	26	6:05	18:34
11	6:37	18:11	27	6:03	18:35
12	6:35	18:13	28	6:01	18:37
13	6:32	18:14	29	5:59	18:38
14	6:30	18:16	30	5:57	18:40
15	6:28	18:17	31	5:55	18:41
16	6:26	18:18			

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

WELL FED

"Does your wife do the cooking on the day the maid goes out?"

"Oh yes."

"How does that suit you?"

"It doesn't bother me any. I always get a good meal just before I go home."

Accident Gives Back Lost Sight

ROCHESTER, N.Y., March 18 (AP).—John Grela, twenty-one, looked happily about today, grateful for an automobile accident which restored the eyesight he lost three weeks ago. On his way to the hospital yesterday with his physician, Dr. Arthur Baldin, of Waterloo, Grela received a slight bump on the head when their car hit a truck. Grela said his vision suddenly cleared.

The Observation Car

BY THE EDITORIAL STAFF

Dominoes One Up

Vancouver, Friday. — The first game of the British Columbia senior basketball play-offs is history, and the Dominoes are one up at this writing. The boys really showed the Mainland cage fans just what speed is, and in those two quarters, second and third, they set a blinding pace that had the Canadian champions wilting under the strain. Westerns, with plenty of fight and determination, came right back and got in the thick of the game . . . An interesting spectator at tonight's game was Chuck Durgan, well-known Seattle coach, who has made many trips to Victoria with cage and softball teams . . . Tim McCulloch, Seattle, made a hit with local fans and was highly praised for the way he refereed. Ralph Thomas, Vancouver umpire, was a little too easy with the Westerns and never called one foul against them in the whole first half . . . Don McClure, former president of the Victoria Table Tennis League, now working here, was at the battle . . . Charlie Lewis, manager of Spencer's soccer team, was among the spectators . . . Victoria scored thirty-one points in the second and third periods against twenty-two for Westerns . . . Chatted with Bob Brown, owner of the ball park and V.A.C. Gymnasium for a second, and he is looking forward to the start of the baseball season.—J.D.

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Housing the Crowd

Whether Victoria will be able to provide food and lodging for the hosts of people that are expected here during the forthcoming visit of the King and Queen is the pertinent question of the day! The Chamber of Commerce has definitely taken the initiative and so far has secured some 600 listings of local homes that will be able to take visitors. These premises can accommodate from three to twenty persons, thus taking an average of five to a home, 3,000 visitors can be accommodated so far. This figure, however, is far short of the expected 60,000 persons who will be in Victoria; so we suggest to every citizen who may have a room to spare, to notify the Chamber of Commerce so that Victoria, when the time comes, may preserve its good name for friendly hospitality.—W.I.F.

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On the Sports Front

We have it from good authority that the present Young Liberals soccer team will probably be discarded next season unless they can get a berth in senior company. Unquestionably too strong for the Intermediate League, Manager Ed Whyte's proteges would give the First Division a jolt in the arm, something the game is really needing at present . . . Frank Hyslop, genial coach of the Pacific Swimming Club, is eager to bolster his line-up of aspiring young swimmers, and plans to have a special training night for boys and girls between the ages of nine and thirteen. Nice move, Mr. Hyslop . . . Harvey-Murphys, Nanaimo cagers and defending champions, will, we think, retain their British Columbia championship. Most of the boys have been playing together since midget days, and a good club has been built up. Who knows, perhaps in a season or two we shall have a senior "A" men's cage squad at Nanaimo. It would certainly help basketball on the northern part of the Island . . . With Spring well advanced and Summer around the corner, it is to be hoped that the soccer bosses will have their competitions finished before the softball and baseball seasons roll around. Football at Royal Athletic Park for eight months in the year is enough for anybody, even managers.—S.T.

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Building Overlooked

On every side we notice signs of sprucing up buildings for the forthcoming Royal visit in May. Unfortunately, the Government seems to have overlooked the gloomy Courthouse at Bastion and Langley Streets. Externally, the palace of justice is one of the dirtiest buildings in the city . . . "I do not know how you would get along without me," our tobacconist friend told his charming better half after a slight breakfast argument. "I drag myself out of bed at 7 o'clock every morning, light the kitchen fire, boil the kettle, make coffee and bring you a smack in bed," he pointed out. "What would you do without me?" he asked plaintively. "I should probably get an electric stove," his wife calmly replied . . . Bill, the Broad Street barber, believes that most men can play the fool without knowing anything about acting . . . Broad Street Bertie claims some of the ladies' new Spring hats stay on by faith alone . . . Aubrey points out that most motorists can stand the upkeep but not the turnover.—G.B.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 500 words in length.

SWIMMING FACILITIES

Sir,—The arrangements being made in connection with the Royal visit to enable the youth of this city to take part in the festivities and the facilities to be provided for them to view the Royal procession are appreciated and congratulations are due to the committee in charge of that part of the programme.

But, these celebrations will only last for a period of a few hours; then, how will the children fill in the time during the long Summer vacation? What recreation have we provided for them? Every normal boy and girl desires to swim, especially in the sea water. It does not seem right that in a location so bountifully blessed with miles of sea frontage, and the once famous Gorge close to a street car terminus, that the only answer we can give to the children's question, "Where are we going to swim?" is to suggest that they stand on the street corners and solicit a ride in a stranger's automobile to the lakes.

CHARLES L. CLARKE.

316 Douglas Street, Victoria, B.C., March 17, 1939.

VICTORIA AND STREET CARS

Sir,—In a late issue of your paper a letter appeared signed P. S. Vernon, which very ably portrayed the British Columbia Electric street car drivers' problems. Yes, the inexplicable delay by our City Fathers is beyond understanding. Not only would the car drivers appreciate action, but also the long suffering electorate at large would greatly appreciate that consideration be given their expressed wish which the poll in this plebiscite of December 8, 1938, revealed.

Why solicit our opinion, if the intention was to eventually bamboozel us out of our rights. Is it possible those in authority consider they have any special privilege to play loose and fast with our democratic plan of government? Any move that savors of little Hitler stunts just do not fit in well here. The expressed wishes of the electorate, so unmistakably in favor of the continuance of street cars over a period of years, definitely indicates the people have spoken. Then why pray are we kept waiting?

ALICE McGREGOR.

1190 Camrose Crescent, Victoria, B.C., March 16, 1939.

EARLY CHRISTIANITY

Sir,—Your issue of March 12 contains an article by L. S. Metford, in which are two flagrant mis-statements of fact, which I wish to correct. The first, in reference to Pope Gregory I, is as follows: "In the hearts of all Anglo-Saxons he will ever be remembered as the one who introduced Christianity to Britain." The second: "Thus it is to Gregory I that the Anglo-Saxons owe their conversion to Christianity." Both these statements are absolutely untrue, as the following will prove:

Polydore Vergil and later Cardinal Pole (A.D. 1555) affirmed that Britain was the first of all countries to receive the Christian faith.

Genebrard: "The glory of Britain consists not only in this, that she was the first country which, in a national capacity, publicly professed herself Christian, but that she made this profession when the Roman Empire was pagan, and a cruel persecutor of Christianity."

Robert Parsons, the Jesuit historical writer, admits: "That Christianity came into Britain direct from Jerusalem," therefore not through Rome.

Sabellius wrote: "Britain first proclaimed itself Christian after the name of Christ."

Gildas, the British historian (A.D. 520-560), states expressly: "That the Gospel was first introduced into Britain in the last year of Tiberius Caesar."

Tertullian, an African (A.D. 192), states: "Regions in Britain which have never been penetrated by the Roman arms have received the religion of Christ."

The British priority was confirmed by the Council of Churches at Pisa (1409 A.D.), the council at Constance (1414 A.D.), also at the Council of Sena later. The decision of the latter was: "That the churches of France and Spain (which had disputed the fact) were bound to give way in the points of antiquity and precedence to the church of Britain, which was founded by Joseph of Arimathea immediately after the Passion of Christ."

Rev. R. W. Morgan, author of "Veritles of the Church," "St. Paul in Britain" and other works, makes the following statement: "Christianity was first introduced into Britain by Joseph of Arimathea (A.D. 36-38), followed by Simon Telotes, the Apostle; then by Aristobulus the first bishop of the Britons; then by St. Paul. Among its converts were members of the Royal Family at Siluria — Gladys, the sister of King Caradoc, whom the Romans called Caractacus; Gladys and Eurgen, his daughters, and Linus, his son — who were converted to the Christian faith in Britain, before they were taken as prisoners to Rome. The two cradles of Christianity in Britain were Ynys Wydrin, the Crystal Isle, Glastonbury, in Somersetshire, also known as Ynys Avalon, where Joseph settled and taught, and in Siluria, where the ancient churches and schools were founded by the Silurian dynasty."

Pope Gregory sent Augustine to Britain in 597 A.D. and that Roman missionary reported back to Gregory in the following words: "In the western confines of Britain there is a Royal island of large extent, surrounded by water, abounding in all the beauties of nature and necessaries of life. In it, the first neophytes of the Catholic law, God beforehand acquainting them, found a church constructed by no human art, but by the hands of Christ Himself for the salvation of His people." — Epistolea ad Gregorium Papam, St. Paul in Britain. Morgan.

Augustine himself declared he found a church already there, not only that but that it was built by the hands of the Lord Himself. This early church, a wattle structure, bore the name "Secretum Dei," in English "The Secret of the Lord."

At the age of twelve years, it is recorded that Jesus told His Mother He must be about His Father's business, which, apparently, was not making benches and tables. Did He travel with Joseph of Arimathea? It is possible.

In conclusion, may I ask why are Protestants so negligent in guarding our great and glorious heritage?

OLIVE A. BRAKE.

129 Beach Drive, Oak Bay, B.C., March 16, 1939.

EARLY CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sir,—I was very glad to see in your issue of March 15 Mr. A. W. Arnup's letter pointing out the errors of L. T. Melford's statements in your issue of March 12. There was a long space between A. D. 590, when Pope Gregory sent Augustine to convert the Anglo Saxons to Christianity, as L. T. Melford stated, and the Diocleslan persecutions of the Christians in A.D. 300, as stated by A. W. Arnup; both referred to Saint Augustine, but L. T. Melford did not tell us that Augustine wrote back to Gregory, A.D. 600, thusly: "In the Western confines of Britain there is a certain Royal Island of large extent surrounded by water abounding in all the beauties of nature and necessaries of life. In it the first Neophites of Catholic law, God beforehand acquainting them, found a church constructed by no human art but by the hands of Christ himself for the salvation of His people." (This was the wattle church on the Isle of Avalon.)

Cardinal Baronius, the great church historian, most learned librarian to the Vatican, in his Ecclesiastical Annals, on which he spent thirty years, quotes a Vatican manuscript under the year A.D. 35, which states that in that year Joseph of Arimathean, Lazarus, Mary, Martha, Marcella, their maid and Maximen, a Deciple, were put by the Jews in a boat without sails and without oars and floated down the Mediterranean and landed at Marseille, and from thence Joseph and his company crossed into Britain and preached the gospel there. William of Malmesbury states that Saint Philip sent twelve missionaries from France to Britain, of whom the leader was Saint Joseph of Arimathea, and the king gave them Ynys-vistrin, or Avalon or Gladstonbury, and twelve hides of land.

From what I have read, I believe the Vatican holds valuable secrets that would be of great benefit to lukewarm and doubting Christians living in these modern days.

Saint Gregory of Tours, A.D. 544-594, and others all unite in saying that Joseph of Arimathea was the first to preach the gospel in Britain.

Before closing I would like to turn to the infallible word of God, Isaiah chapter xlviii, verse 1: "Listen, O isles, to me, and hearken ye people from far." Isaiah frequently addresses God's people as in the isles afar off, northwest of Palestine. Here then must be God's people. As His ministers and witnesses, we have abundant proof of this fact.

In 2 Timothy, chapter iv, verse 21, we find Christians there when Saint Paul went to Rome, viz., Pudens, Linus and Gladis. Surely pagan Rome did not make Christians in these early Apostolic times. Pudens was a Roman noble and married Gladis, whose name was changed to Claudia. Pudens died, martyred, A.D. 96.

Linus and Gladys were Britons taken prisoners to Rome after their conversion to Christianity with their father, Caractacus.

I think I have said sufficient to show that after Jerusalem, Britain is the home of true Christianity.

A. R. HUMPHRIES.

617 Harbinger Avenue, Victoria, B.C. March 16, 1939.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily Colonist of March 19, 1889)

Kootenay Mines—Judge Vowell, of Kootenay, arrived last night from Donald and registered at the Driard Hotel. He has recently recovered from a severe illness. Mining matters are quiet at the present time, but the prospects for a most successful season are very bright. The Kootenay Lake region looks specially good, while Southeastern Kootenay placers will probably turn out large quantities of gold during the present year.

Night Sessions—The night sessions of the Provincial Legislature begin this evening. The House will adjourn at 6 p.m. until 7:30 p.m., and will continue in session until about 11 p.m. An evening session will also be held tomorrow.

Collision on Puget Sound—At about 5:30 o'clock on Saturday morning, the steamers Eliza Anderson, which was running from Upsalady to Coupeville, and the George E Starr which was going from Coupeville to Upsalady, collided during the thick fog prevalent at that time about two miles out from Upsalady. The Starr's bow struck the Anderson's port side just ahead of the wheel, and as a result the Anderson is minus a wheel-house and her machinery is badly damaged, while the Starr escaped comparatively unharmed.

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James T. Hodge, who was born in England and came to Victoria with his parents as a small child, passed away in Seattle on Thursday, aged forty-three years. He leaves his wife and daughter in the Puget Sound city, a sister, Miss A. Hodge, Colwood, and another sister, Mrs. A. R. Sanderson, in England.

The late Mr. Hodge was well-known in Victoria and as an employee of Canadian Pacific Railways had a wide circle of friends and acquaintances with whom he was extremely popular. He entered the service of the company in 1915 as a clerk and was city passenger agent in Seattle at the time of his passing.

During the latter years of the Great War, Mr. Hodge served at Halifax. Returning from duty there, he was assigned to the outside service of the rail and steamship company until 1923, when he was appointed city travel agent. He filled the latter position efficiently until 1927, when he was transferred to Seattle, where he was traveling passenger agent until he was selected for the more important post of city ticket agent.

The remains will be interred at Seattle, where funeral services will be conducted on Tuesday afternoon.

WARD FIVE CONSERVATIVES

The monthly meeting of Ward Five Conservatives will be held on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Association Rooms, Campbell Building. Following the business session a talk on "Modern Educational Methods" will be given, to which parents are particularly invited to attend.

ST. MARY'S MEN'S GUILD

St. Mary's Men's Guild will meet on Thursday and will be addressed by G. P. Melrose, of the forestry department.

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Rev. A. E. Whitehouse to Be Guest Speaker at Dinner Meeting Tuesday

REV. A. E. WHITEHOUSE

CLUB CALENDAR

MONDAY—Gyro Club, dinner meeting, Terry's, 6.30 p.m.

TUESDAY—Kiwanis Club dinner meeting, Spencer's, 6:30 p.m.; Business and Professional Women's Club, quiz party, clubrooms, 301 Union Building, 8 p.m.

THURSDAY—Rotary Club, luncheon meeting, Empress Hotel, 12:10 p.m.

Rev. A. E. Whitehouse will deliver a brief address at a dinner meeting of the Kiwanis Club in Spencer's dining-room at 6.30 o'clock on Tuesday evening. The dinner will be held instead of the usual Tuesday luncheon meeting, and will be under the auspices of the boys' work committee.

Most of the young boys whom the Kiwanis Club sponsors during the Winter activities and at Summer camp will be guests at the dinner, over which T. Percy Waters, chairman of the boys' work committee, will preside.

The Gyro Club also will hold an evening dinner meeting this week, tomorrow, at 6.30 p.m., in Terry's dining-room, when activities of the recently-organized Victoria Boys' Athletic and Hobby Club will be reviewed. Speakers will be Magistrate Henry C. Hall and Morris Green, and the work of the boys will be demonstrated by a specially selected group under the direction of Louis Callan, sports director of the club.

At the Rotary Club luncheon meeting in the Empress Hotel on Thursday, J. Leonard Hobbs, will give an address entitled "My Vocation," and solos will be contributed by Miss Elaine Basanta, accompanied by Mrs. C. C. Warn.

A meeting of the Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club on Tuesday evening will take the form of a quiz contest.

U.S. APPLIES IMPORT LEVY

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aggressor nations the aggregate sentiments of our own people."

EFFECTIVE IN MONTH

The Treasury ordered the extra tariff by imposing what are known as "countervailing duties," effective April 23.

(The Tariff Act of 1930 provides that such duties shall be levied—in addition to regular tariffs—on any foreign products subsidized, in manufacture or export, by the Government of the country of origin.).

The Treasury acted after Attorney-General Murphy ruled that German goods imported under barter arrangements should be subject to extra duties.

GOODS NOT LISTED

Officials said the Treasury could not say at this time what goods would be affected. It was said, however, that "a substantial part" of imports from Germany would feel the extra duty. The principal imports have been chemicals, toys, medicine, paper and china.

Imports from Germany declined in 1938 to $64,537,000, compared with $92,468,000 the previous year.

Private trade experts estimated that at least $30,000,000 of the 1938 trade was carried on by barter. United States exports to Germany totaled $107,588,000 in 1938. Cotton and other products which Germany cannot readily obtain elsewhere have constituted the bulk of Reich imports from the United States.

"Reverse and back always mean the same, don't they, father?"

"By no means, my son. The more reverses a man has in business, the less backing he can get."

From the Attic Window

I Investigate Driving Test— Dementia Follows— Saved by the Old School Tie—

By SPY

Don't tremble, please. There's nothing to turn pale about—all that's exigent is to keep your heads and correctly answer about twenty-five questions.

Whether or not said questions are sane, civil or salubrious is for your decision—but, from what I can glean, they're all well above the belt—but, in the meantime, it will harm nobody to at least read the title page of the Motor Vehicle Drivers' Manual ere toying with the examination.

This pendant pain in the neck will not necessarily derange you much before the end of the year—so you've plenty of time in which to discover whether you're color blind, completely paralyzed, or in the throes of colitis or advanced rables—in which case it would be advisable to consult your physician before descending upon the driving test examiners merely for the fun of barking in their faces.

Roughly, the adventure bumps along the following lines:

First, you produce your driving licence—wrapped in a dollar bill—which lands you with a nice clean receipt and the list of twenty-five questions.

These you answer "yes" or "no" with an "X" from which riddling you must emerge 80 per cent pure—otherwise . . . "homework for tonight" . . . all boys who have failed to recite fully and correctly the fifty-one pages of the Motor Vehicle Drivers' Manual will come to my study tomorrow morning, with the lesson perfect—otherwise, boys will not be permitted to wave their cricket bats or their Old School Elder-Downs at their wives or governesses on the coming traditional "Bounder's Day" fiesta.

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Boys may now sing the "Eton Boating Song" or "Forty Years On," and then take the next step toward full marks in the coming "driving test" by sitting in a dummy driving seat and then braying their knowledge or ignorance, as the case may be, regarding road signs.

If you can parrot those off without the use of cribs, I presume you go to the head of the class with a good chance of becoming Dormitory Prefect, providing, of course, you've not inked Pipkins Minor's topper since the beginning of term—but you're by no means yet "Head Boy."

Dear, no . . . you've now got to pass on "straight vision" (boys with chronic squints will be excused!) . . . and then you must look through diverse lenses at diverse lights and truthfully tell the examiners how many you see. If you're drunk at this stage of the game, it is strongly advisable to halve or double your answers—i.e., if you think you see twenty lights, just say "ten," or, if you think you see one light, say "one and a half" or "two"—on the other hand, if you see no lights at all, don't think the examiners are trying to spoof you—the chances are you've merely "passed out"—in which case you'll get no "tuck" next Sunday, and you're chances of becoming "Head Boy" will be in grave danger.

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We must pause now, while boys change into waterproofs and gym shoes for eleven o'clock cocoa . . . Why, of course, Mrs. Warblethumble, the boys at "Slitherby Hall" are exceedingly well nourished . . . eleven o'clock cocoa is merely one of many of our—ahem—little—er—ahem—shall I say "innovations," Mrs. Warblethumble, to make boys strong and happy at "Slitherby Hall." hem, hem, etc. etc. . . . Come, come, boys: drink up your lovely cocoa. What? Lumps? Scum? What boy said "lumps" and "scum," please? Humph! Very well, Blotchley Major, an hour's pun-drill with the Sergeant-Major, after which I'm certain you'll find no more "lumps" or "scum" in Slitherby Hall cocoa . . . hem, hem, hem, indeed!

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Return to your desks quietly—stop flicking paper pellets, Popley Minnimus, and prepare for the depth and width of vision test. Peep into the stereopticon-looking gadget and tell the examiners whether you're nearer that freight train after you've hit it than before, or whether that bicycle coming on your left (at the same time) had English or American valve caps . . . which test, if correctly manoeuvred, merely proves that you possess occult powers—which condition might be gravely detrimental to the honor or spirit (or both) of the school in other words, such occult powers place you under the heading of "necromancer, sorcerer, witch doctor, etc., etc., and your chances of becoming "Head Boy" are growing lousier and lousier.

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Attention, boys! All stand and shout "Hurrah for Slitherby Hall" then retain your seats while I read the following telegram from an old Slitherbonian—Sir Reginald Beaker-Quaff-Beaker, late of the Embassy, Jamaica, N.Z.:

"To the dear boys of Slitherby stop dear boys stop so glad stop to hear stop dear boys stop gaining such high stop honors in B stop C stop driving stop test stop start stop go stop back up stop splendid, splendid stop hurrah for dear old Slitherby slop I mean stop.

"Signed
"Beaker-Quaff-Beaker"
"Stop retired dead stop etc.
"Jamaica, Kent."

Now, boys, on the strength of Sir Reginald's kind wire, I moot a half holiday with extra "tuck" to the extent of three ju-jubes, eight acid drops, five sally-luns and two bottles lemon sherbert per boy per bot per haps—really I'm not quite certain, boys—however, when boys have passed the reaction test, and the hearing test, and the steering test, and the smearing, veering, cheering and beering test—in fact when you've all showered fresh honor and glory in the brow of dear old Slitherby Hall, you may all have your new licences, your cricket colors, your mead mugs, your riding habits, your beastly habits—anything you like, boys—you're all "Head Boys" now—hurrah, hurrah—well done, Slitherby Hall! Bravo! Bravo! Veni, vidi, vici! Dum vivo spero! Hurrah for our Latin grammars! Hurrah for our satin hammers! Hurrah for everything—including more tea and toast for our beloved headmaster.

CIVIL SERVICE PENSIONS

WINNIPEG, March 18 (CP).—Intention of the Manitoba Government to establish a pension scheme for civil servants was announced in the Legislature by Provincial Treasurer Stuart Garson in seeking approval of a $195,000 item in his estimates. The scheme will be contributory with the Government and employees making equal payments, Mr. Garson said.

DIES AT MEDICINE HAT

MEDICINE HAT, March 18 (CP).—John Read, seventy-eight-year-old pioneer of Western Canada and hotel proprietor here for the last twenty-two years, died yesterday.

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Douglas Flintoff, regent of the council, stated: "We have decided upon this objective for our order and are happy to announce that we have been fortunate to have in our council Carlton W. Stocker, who wrote, coached and produced so many of the popular minstrel shows put on in the past by the Kiwanis Club."

Mr. Stocker has written a new show for Royal Arcanum, "Black Ko-Ko Nuts," and he will play the principal comedian's role in the show, which is in three acts. Thomas Kelway and Kenneth Ferguson will also be in the cast.

The show has been in rehearsal three months, with a chorus of forty. There are thirty-three musical numbers in the production, ranging from opera to modern popular songs.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The members of the Boilermakers and Iron Shipbuilders, Local No. 9, are requested to meet in Z. of B. Hall on Funeral Parlors to attend the funeral of our late Bro. F. M. Parks.

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Astronomer to Tell Society of European Trip

The regular meeting of the Victoria Centre of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada will be held in the Y.W.C.A. on Wednesday at 8 p.m. when the speaker will be Dr. W. E. Harper, head of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory. He will discuss phases of his trip last Summer to visit observatories in the British Isles and in Europe, and to attend the meetings of the International Astronomical Union in Stockholm in August.

With the aid of numerous lantern slides, he will describe briefly the observatories at Greenwich and those connected with the Universities of London, Oxford and Cambridge, Glasgow and Edinburgh Universities, as well as Copenhagen and Stockholm, will also be briefly touched upon. The lecture will, however, be more in the nature of a travelogue, dealing with the trip in a more or less popular way. The public is cordially invited.

CORNER STONE SET IN PLACE

Mrs. H. E. Sexton Performs Ceremony for New Sunday School Building

The foundation stone of the fine new branch of the Sunday school of Christ Church Cathedral that is being erected on Niagara Street was laid by Mrs. H. E. Sexton at a brief but impressive ceremony yesterday afternoon, in the presence of a large gathering.

Members of the clergy who took part in the ceremony were Rt. Rev. H. E. Sexton, Bishop of Columbia; Very Rev. Spencer H. Elliott, Dean of Columbia, and Rev. A. E. G. Hendy, superintendent of the Sunday schools of the Cathedral parish, and others present were Alderman J. A. Worthington, Major F. V. Longstaff, registrar of Sunday schools, and P. Leonard James, architect for the building.

The service took the form prescribed for such occasions, and included the singing of "The Church's One Foundation." After Mrs. Sexton had formally laid the cornerstone, she was presented with a basket of flowers by little Betty MacIntyre. The stone carries the following inscription: "Christ Church Cathedral School, James Bay Division, for the advancement of Christ's Kingdom amongst young people. Erected by a grateful parishioner, 1939."

In a brief address, which he prefaced with an expression of thanks to Mrs. Sexton, Dean Elliott referred to the long-felt need that the new building would fill—a building made possible by the generosity of one who desired to remain anonymous.

What Today Means

"PISCES"

If March 19 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m.; from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m., and from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. The danger periods are from 6:30 to 8:30 a.m.; from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., and from 9:30 to 11:30 p.m.

Refreshed by mental relaxation this day, people who have to use their minds to make a living, should have a surprising number of new ideas. Most of this day's discordant conditions may originate through harmless discussions becoming acrimonious. Refrain from losing your self-control should anything happen that might irritate you, for lack of tact is apt to be the rule rather than an exception, especially if the conversation becomes a highly excitable one. You are likely to discover that trying to anticipate anyone's desires is likely to be difficult. The average person, in all likelihood, will have a hard time deciding what he wants. Mental telepathy may be responsible for your doing many thoughtful little things this day. Married and engaged couples, and those debating the advisability of going ahead with the announcement of their betrothal, ought to avoid all forms of formality whenever there is nothing justifying it.

If a woman and March 19 is your birthday, most of your problems probably will be simple and easily solved. You should be quick at repartee and very popular both as a hostess and as a guest. You are apt to be broad-minded, talented in many ways, and a lover of music. The time ought to come when you will do a lot of traveling, and thereby gain knowledge that you can use profitably in a commercial or literary way. You are apt to be very efficient in all of your work. You might excell in secretarial, musical, literary, educational or medical work. You apparently have every qualification needed to make a success of married life.

The child born on March 19 is instinctively kind, generous and truthful. This youngster's future will be greatly influenced by the close companionships during the formative years of adolescence. If brought up under proper supervision there is no reason why this child should not become an exemplary member of its community, equally admired by family and friends.

If a man and March 19 is your natal day, by actions and thoughts your independent spirit is likely to be manifested. If you let lofty motives inspire your actions and deeds, you probably will be richly rewarded. As a scientist, politician, lecturer, educator, author, clergyman or artist your real worth will be publicly recognized.

MONDAY, MARCH 20

"PISCES"

If March 20 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 8:45 to 10:45 a.m.; from 2:45 to 4:45 p.m., and from 7:45 to 9:45 p.m. The danger periods are from 6:45 to 8:45 a.m.; from 5:45 to 7:45 p.m., and from 9:45 to 11:45 p.m.

Arbitrary actions or imperious manners can have a decidedly upsetting influence on the average person this day and bring about a general feeling of dissatisfaction. It might be well to discount some of the things you hear, particularly in the line of gossip. This is a poor day for anyone to take liberties with friendship, for any abuse of it is likely to meet with rebuke. Most people will instinctively desire to maintain their personal dignity and be apt to resent anything that they feel might be construed as a reflection on it. Some thoughtful incident may restore your faith in the enduring quality of friendship. Displaying aptitude in the initiation of any enterprising line of endeavor will result in many workers receiving a gratifying amount of praise and flattering recognition that might mean a great deal in a financial way for them later on. Married and engaged couples, as well as those discussing their chances of going on a honeymoon together, might find it wise this day to "look to the essence of a thing, whether it be a point of doctrine, of practice, or of interpretation."

If a woman and March 20 is your birthday, throughout your life you may find a great deal of consolation in remembering that "nothing happens to anybody which he is not fitted by nature to bear." Your heartaches and disappointments are likely always to be more than compensated for by future joys and unexpected pleasant surprises. You are apt to find that whatever happens to you invariably happens for the best, even if for the time being it might seem to be incomprehensible to you, so always face things courageously and with confidence in the future. Through art, journalism, authorship, music, teaching, singing, radio work, selling or some commercial line of endeavor your results ought to be gratifying. Through marriage appears to lie your way to happiness and freedom from care.

The child born on March 20 may have the soul of a poet, practical mind combined with the healthy normal spirit of childhood, will make its period of adolescence on a parity with that of children of its own age.

If a man and March 20 is your natal day, if you do not get the mistaken idea that simply because someone does not agree with you he must necessarily be wrong, the chances are you will get along with very little trouble. Through building, contracting, public office holding, manufacturing, banking, preaching, lecturing, acting or singing your hopes for success are apt to be fulfilled.

When Citadel Was Snowed Under

Quebec Residence of Canada's Governor-General, Overlooking the St. Lawrence, Is Banked With Snow After a Blizzard. King George and Queen Elizabeth Will Visit Here the First Day of Their Royal Tour.

City and District

Building Figures—Thirteen permits for construction valued at $11,465 were issued by the city building inspector's department at the City Hall during the past week. The permits included two new duplex dwellings and a single family house.

Bank Mistake—Detective Inspector J. H. Rogers stated yesterday he had been informed by a local bank that a $1,000 Canadian bill was handed out in mistake for a $100 note between March 11 and 15. The bill bore the serial number A 05172.

Railway Head Here—W. M. Neal, vice-president in charge of Western lines of the Canadian Pacific Railway, with headquarters in Winnipeg, came to Victoria yesterday on a brief business visit, and will return to the Mainland tomorrow. He registered at the Empress Hotel.

Here on Visit—G. H. N. Monkman, deputy minister of public works for the Alberta Provincial Government, is spending a short holiday here with Mrs. Monkman. On paying a visit to Mayor Andrew McGavin yesterday, Mr. Monkman stated he found the mild Spring weather here a tonic after the Edmonton Winter.

Premier Improving—In the hands of his physicians for a minor affection of the eyes, Premier Pattullo reported yesterday that he felt considerably better after a course of treatment he has been undergoing in the last few weeks. The Premier put in a full week's work at his office, despite the interruption.

Murder Trial—R. A. Wright, negro carpenter, will stand trial before the Spring Assizes at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning on a charge of murdering Mrs. Dulcie M. Hanham. Mrs. Justice H. B. Robertson will preside. J. B. Clearihue, K.C. is Crown prosecutor. Patrick J. Sinnott is defending Wright.

Appeal Made—The Saanich Welfare Association yesterday issued an appeal for donations of women's and children's garments, a mattress, a baby's cot, and a perambulator for a family in urgent need of assistance. Donors of any of these articles are asked to phone E 1448 or the association rooms in the morning. E 3043.

No Slum Problem—In his annual report to the City Council, T. E. Lancaster, city sanitary inspector, stated: "Many dilapidated buildings have been repaired or pulled down. The value of this work can hardly be overestimated as it insures that Victoria will not have a big slum problem to face at some future date."

Shows Clemency — In the city police court yesterday morning, Magistrate Henry C. Hall imposed a fine of $25 in the case of a Provincial Government relief worker who pleaded guilty to a charge of being intoxicated. The magistrate suspended the penalty in order to give the man a chance to proceed back to work at Trail.

Seeks Magazines—Alderman John A. Worthington is collecting magazines of all kinds for young men in Government forestry training camps on lower Vancouver Island. Those able to assist are asked to leave reading material in the city clerk's office at the City Hall. Alderman Worthington reported the men were most grateful for magazines supplied last year.

Visiting at Fair—Attorney-General Wismer, Mrs. W. Peden, Miss B. Morley, Mrs. A. Swanston and Louis Zimet, all of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Humbird, Chemainus, registered last week at the British Columbia exhibit at the San Francisco fair, provincial officials were advised yesterday. Mainland visitors continued in numbers, it was also said.

Examiners Named—The four examiners appointed by the Royal Schools of Music Associated Board to Canada for 1939 are as follows: A. Forbes Milne, M.A., B.Mus., honorary F.R.A.M.; Maurice d'Oisly, F.R.A.M., officier d'academie; Dr. J. Frederick Staton, D.Mus., F.R.C.O., L.R.A.M.; E. Kendall Taylor, honorary A.R.C.M.; Maurice d'Oisly, and Dr. J. Frederick Staton will conduct the examinations in British Columbia. Entry date for both theory and practical (on or before), April 1, 1939.

Esquimalt Conservatives — While the annual general meeting of the Esquimalt Conservative Association will not be held for some time, a meeting of the executive to choose delegates to a Federal nominating convention in Victoria will be held at the Parish Hall, Esquimalt, at 8 p.m. tomorrow, with Major G. Sisman in the chair, officials said yesterday.

Phalanx Club—At the regular supper meeting of the Phalanx Club, Thursday night, it was decided to organize associate memberships for those who cannot attend regularly. The new street traffic amendment, passed last Summer in a by-law, was discussed and compared with the Padlock Law of Quebec. Next week Vivian Shoemaker will conduct individual "personality tests," the same as those conducted in the Y.M.C.A. public speaking classes.

Registering Revolvers—Provincial Police registration of all small arms which can be classed as concealable weapons was proceeding last week at the local headquarters of the force. The owners of upwards of 20,000 revolvers, pistols, derringers, and other small firearms throughout the province must re-register these weapons, under an amendment to the Criminal Code, it was explained. Several hundred revolvers have already been registered in Victoria.

CHEMAINUS AMBULANCE CLASS

A St. John Ambulance class for Chemainus ladies was organized on Wednesday evening in the Parish Hall, Chemainus, with twenty-six registered members. Mr. Allison, Duncan, the St. John Ambulance instructor, demonstrated bandaging, assisted by A. Bennett. Dr. Dick has kindly donated his services as surgeon instructor. Meetings will be held on Wednesdays at 8 p.m. in the Parish Hall. The course will cover approximately six lectures.

Announcements

Is There a Woman whose soul is so dead to beauty that she is able to remain indifferent to that most ugly of disfigurements, superfluous hair? No! In her heart she just hates it – but fears, which are groundless, often prevent her from taking the necessary steps to have it removed. Call and see Miss Hanman. Fear may be your companion when you enter her office, but happiness and relief will accompany you when you leave. 503 Sayward Building, Victoria. Phone G 7642.

Women's Canadian Club Tea in honor of Her Excellency Lady Tweedsmuir, Empress Hotel, Friday, March 24, at 3:30 p.m. Tickets 65c on sale at Fletcher Bros., Monday to Thursday, inclusive. No tickets at door.

University Extension Lecture, Monday, March 20, 8:15 p.m., Central Junior High School. Speaker, Professor Soward; subject "The Outlook in International Affairs."

Annual Meeting John Howard Society, Y.W.C.A., 8 p.m., Tuesday, March 21. Mrs. Palu Smith, M.P.P., speaker.

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Flower Arrangement Class, Kingston Street School, March 24. Phone G 5682.

The Shawnigan Beach Hotel will open for the season on April 5.

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The idea of the ban is to put an end to the type of driver who buys the loudest and most offensive horn he can find, and then uses it as a means of intimidation. The motorists are protesting, however, because they argue that all are being penalized for the bad manners of about 5 per cent of the drivers.

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NATIVE SONS OF B.C.

The monthly meeting of Post No. 1, Native Sons of British Columbia, will be held in the Knights of Pythias Hall, Broad Street, tomorrow at 8 p.m. As final arrangements for the entertainment of the Grand Posts of the Native Sons and Daughters of British Columbia here in April will be discussed, it is requested there be a full turn out of members.

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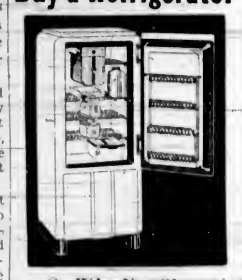
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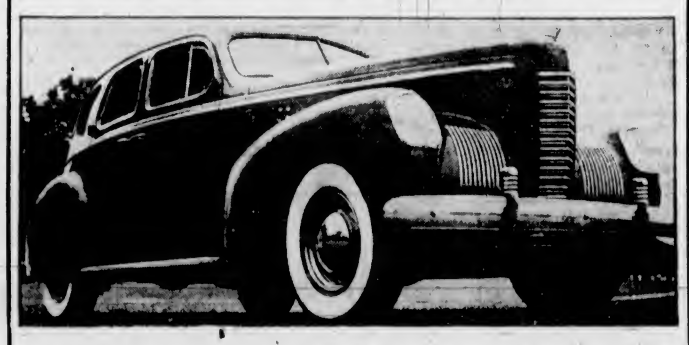
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PERSONAL ITEMS and SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

St. Joseph's Hospital Has Handsome Linen Donation

St. Joseph's linen shower, one of the oldest annual observances of the hospital, held yesterday afternoon at the Nurses' Home, had the loyal support of many old friends as well as new. Gifts of snowy linen arrived in a steady stream until they composed a miniature mountain of sheets, bath towels, face towels, servlettes, face cloths, sheeting, doilies, pillow slips and "odds and ends" on the receiving table at the main door.

The linen donations, in fact, amounted to about 1,030 pieces, and there was, in addition, about $150 in cash, and a large ham was presented by one of the local merchants.

As usual the hall was most attractive with big bowls of plum and almond blossom and, on the tea table and platform, artistically arranged vases of iris, pink tulips, daffodils and narcissi.

Guests, as they arrived, were received by Sister Mary Alfreda, Sister Superior, Sister Mary Peter, and Mesdames George Hall, S. G. Kenning and F. M. Bryant. Sister Mary Catherine was in charge of the linen, and Mrs. Alex McDermott was general convener of the affair.

A delightful musical programme took place while tea was in progress, those taking part being Mrs. F. G. Aldous, contralto, who sang "Where Go the Boats?" (Graham Peel), "Still Unexpressed," "When I Have Sung My Song" and "Plantation Song"; Miss Sheila Conway, whose numbers were "I Hear a Thrush at Eve," "Annie Laurie," "Little Damozel" and "Year's at the Spring"; and Frank Ivings, whose solos were "The Garden Where the Praties Grow," "Gentle Maiden," "Rose of Tralee" and "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms." In addition there were two popular duets, "Voyagers" and "Come Sing to Me." Mrs. C. C. Warn was the accompanist, and Mrs. Charles E. Wilson was musical convener.

The ladies who poured tea were Mrs. J. W. Lennox, Mrs. John Hart, Mrs. J. Villiers Fisher and Mrs. Joseph McKenna.

Hollywood Club Arranging Dance

At a recent executive meeting of the Hollywood Club held at the home of L. G. Passmore, plans were made for its sixth annual dance to be held on Thursday, April 6, at the Crystal Garden.

Several committees were appointed to make final arrangements for the affair, when it is expected the evening will close the club's season of activities.

The committees in charge are: Miss Jean Tuthill, novelties and favors; Roy Bishop, prize awards, and A. Bevan, invitations and tickets.

A well-known six-piece orchestra will provide the music.

Girl Guide Notes

SHAWNIGAN LAKE

The regular and annual meetings of the local Girl Guide Association were held in the Brownie hut at Shawnigan Lake on Thursday afternoon, with the president, Mrs. M. Kinloch, in the chair. A new member, Mrs. J. Morley, was admitted. The question of sending delegates to the annual conference in Vancouver was left in abeyance for the present. An excellent report of the year's Brownie activities was presented by the "Brown Owl," Mrs. G. Orr, while an account of the association's work was given by Mrs. Kinloch. In the election of officers which followed, Mrs. M. E. Kinloch was unanimously re-elected to the chair. Other officers are as follows: Vice-president, Mrs. A. Layton; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. E. G. Gibson; ways and means convener, Mrs. C. G. Jones; refreshments convener, Mrs. A. Layton; membership convener, Mrs. W. Maitland. Arrangements were started for a cribbage tournament to be held in the near future.

Clubs—Societies

Chemainus W.B.A.

The regular meeting of the Chemainus W.B.A. was held in the Recreation Hall on Thursday evening. Consent was given for a card party and dance in April, arrangements being left in the hands of the guard captain, apron and novelty conveners. Those intending to go to Vancouver next month are asked to hand their names to the secretary as soon as possible in order that transportation arrangements may be completed. This being the seventeenth anniversary of the inauguration of Review No. 19, friends of review members were welcomed by the president and vice-president. Following a short community sing, a sketch entitled, "The Wrong Babies," was given by eight members. A recitation by Gordon Neale and a vocal [illegible] Muriel Robinson followed [illegible] logue and dance by Mrs. P. Mi[illegible], accompanied by Mrs. G. Neal on the mouth organ, completed the programme. A banquet supper for members and guests followed. Miss M. Robinson was in charge of decorations and table setting; Mrs. R. Savory, refreshment convener; the president, Mrs. R. Robinson, general convener, assisted by committee members and Mesdames E. Knight, Greenhorn Veitch, McNichol, Cherrington and Millar. Dancing followed until midnight. The toast to the King was given by Mrs. Longrigg, and to the guests by the president. Mr. Charles Baker, on behalf of the guests, thanked the review for their hospitality, wishing them success in the future.

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Pas-a-Pas Club

The Pas-a-Pas Club met recently at the home of Mrs. N. Camsusa, 1054 Pembroke Street, with the president, Ethel Wilson, in the chair. Mrs. H. A. McLeod was welcomed as a guest for the evening, and Miss May Hewitt as a new member. The president appointed Miss Margaret Thompson as social convener, to take the place of Mrs. N. Hicks, who has gone to Vancouver. Miss K. Miles reported on the "Rolling Barrel" and Mrs. A. S. Christie, the leader, showed the girls a sample of the fifteen dozen spoons ordered for the church. Those present were each supplied with material and asked to make a flannelette case for the spoons before the next meeting. A flower game was enjoyed, the prize being won by Mrs. McLeod. Refreshments were served in the dining-room, the table being centred with Spring flowers. Mrs. Camsusa was assisted in serving by Mrs. G. Newstead, the assistant hostesses being Mrs. P. Rudge and Misses P. Barbour, G. McKay and K. Miles. A vote of thanks was extended to the hostesses. The next meeting will be held on April 14 at the home of Mrs. Neil Grant, 1110 Seaview Avenue, when it is hoped to have a guest speaker for the evening.

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Que-Alex Meeting

The W.B.A. Qu-Alex Girls' Club held its regular meeting recently at the home of Mrs. Marjorie Borthwick, Victoria Avenue. The president, Mrs. A. Barraclough, presided. An auction of "white elephants" occupied most of the business session. Afterwards a social evening was enjoyed. Special guests were Mrs. H. Todd, president of the W.B.A. Review No. 1; Mrs. Jean Bowden, past president of the review; Mrs. M. Laird, Mrs. L. Thompsett, Miss Ann Jacobson and Miss Joan Bennett. Miss Jacobson won the "mystery box." Miss Hilda Jacques was the successful competitor in the guessing contest, while Mrs. Jean Bowden received the consolation prize. Mrs. K. Hole was the holder of the "lucky cup." Refreshments were served later, the hostess being assisted by her mother, Mrs. L. Thompsett, Miss Bennett and Miss Jacobson. The next meeting will be held at the home of the Misses Ruth and Edna Coates, Sutlej Street, on April 14. Members are asked to bring jams and jellies for the shower to be given for the Queen Alexandra Solarium.

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Metchosin W.A.

Under the auspices of St. Mary's W.A., Metchosin, a successful St. Patrick's silver tea was held at the Vicarage on Thursday afternoon. Rev. H. M. Bolton opened the affair with an address on the origin and purpose of the Women's Auxiliary. Miss K. Chegwin conducted an entertaining "quiz" contest, which was won by Miss Joan Pears. Piano selections by Mrs. G. F. Weir, and vocal solos by Mrs. R. Matthews were greatly appreciated. The tea table, covered with a yellow lace cloth and shamrock motifs, was centred with a bowl of daffodils and shamrock. Mrs. H. M. Bolton and Mrs. J. Minns presided at the tea urns, and assisting in serving were Misses Dorothy Field, Beryl and Joan Pears, Muriel Field and Olive Baker. The home-cooking stall was in charge of Mrs. W. Witty and Mrs. L. L. Field, and the committees responsible for the tea comprised Mrs. Fergus Reid, Mrs. Bolton, Mrs. Minns, Mrs. H. E. Bell and Miss Margaret Bell.

Christ Church Cathedral W.A.

A successful and enjoyable St. Patrick's Day tea and musicale was held in the Memorial Hall on Thursday afternoon by the Senior Evening Branch, W.A. The tables, set out in the gymnasium, were attractively arranged. The guests were received by Miss Margaret Sill, president and convener; Mrs. Spencer Elliott and Mrs. Dickson. The programme was arranged by Mrs. Hichens-Smith, the following artists taking part: Miss Phyllis Deaville, Madame Mayell and Rev. A. E. G. Hendy. The accompanists were Mrs. Grace Deaville and Miss Jean Elliott, and Dean Elliott gave an amusing recitation. At the conclusion of the programme, members of the Girls' Auxiliary served tea, while Mrs. D. White played appropriate airs on the piano. The next regular meeting of the branch will be held on Thursday at 7:45 p.m. in the Memorial Hall.

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St. Martin's Guild Tea

A successful Shamrock tea was held on Wednesday afternoon in the Parish Hall, under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild of St. Martin's-in-the-Field. The president, Mrs. W. Gilbert, welcomed the guests. The tea tables were covered with St. Patrick's cloths, and centred with daffodils and pussy willow. The six girls who acted as waitresses wore pretty St. Patrick's caps and aprons. Mrs. Chamberlain was in charge of the tea, assisted by Mrs. Kelly, Mrs. Gamon and Mrs. Thompson. The home-cooking stall was in charge of Mrs. Flitcroft and Mrs. Jackson; the candy, Mrs. Knight and Mrs. E. Groves, and the miscellaneous stall, Mrs. J. G. Corry Wood, Mrs. Butterfield and Mrs. Carpenter were in charge of the tea tickets. During the afternoon Mrs. Boam and Mrs. Flitcroft contributed vocal solos, and Master Jack Boam a pianoforte selection.

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Willing Workers

The Willing Workers of the Parkdale Sunday School met recently at the home of Mrs. Parker, Irma Street. During the business period, arrangements were made to hold a silver tea at the home of Mrs. William Craig, 400 Boleskine Road, on Wednesday, March 22, at 2:30 p.m. The Junior Mission Band will hold a sale of work, and a musical programme has been arranged. The proceeds will go towards the building fund. All interested in the work of the Sunday school are invited to attend.

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St. Columba W.A.

There was a good attendance at the St. Patrick's tea and sale of work which was held in the Strawberry Vale Hall on Wednesday afternoon, under the auspices of the St. Columba W.A. St. Patrick's favors and daffodils, stocks, violets and snowdrops were arranged on the various tables. A short address was given by Rev. Canon Wickens on the birthplace and life of the patron saint, and Irish songs were sung by Mrs. Watling, accompanied by Mrs. Mead-Robins. Mrs. Wickens and Mrs. Mayfield received the guests. The stallholders had a successful afternoon and, as usual, found ready sale for their wares. The following are in charge: Mrs. Gilham and Mrs. Martin, home cooking; Mrs. Whealdon and Mrs. Ranger, novelties; Mrs. Walting and Mrs. Hynes, candy. Tea was served by Mrs. Hemsley, assisted by Mrs. Stacey and Mrs. Munro.

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Canadian Daughters

The social meeting of Canadian Daughters' League, Assembly No. 5, was held in K. of C. Hall recently, with the president, Mrs. H. R. Milburn, in the chair. Mrs. Porteous was elected delegate to the convention at Vancouver on April 12, 13 and 14. After a short business session, an interesting programme was enjoyed. The Native Sons of Canada were guests. Miss Sheila Aikenhead sang "Il Dacio," and moving pictures of the pilgrimage to Vimy were shown by Mr. Thompsett. Refreshments were served from a table decorated with potted shamrocks and tall green tapers, and presided over by Mrs. A. C. Ross and Mrs. Stewart. Group No. 2 had charge of the entertainment, under the convenership of Mrs. Stinson. The next executive meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. G. H. Gardiner, 1273 Hampshire Road, on March 28.

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Centennial Guild

The Quadra Circle held a successful luncheon in the Centennial Church schoolroom on Friday under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild. The guests were welcomed by the president, Mrs. W. McCague, assisted by Mrs. M. Farquhar. The schoolroom was artistically decorated in green and white, and the tables looked attractive with vases of daffodils. Those serving were: Mesdames Kilby, E. McCuaig, C. Newman, Murry, McIvor, Leach, Blair Beverage, and Misses Jarman and Dickson. After the luncheon an Irish programme was enjoyed. Rev. Dr. A. D. Reid gave an interesting talk on his trip through Ireland with Mrs. Reid a few years ago. The soloists were Mrs. S. Swetman and Mrs. B. Noels, with Mrs. P. Green at the piano.

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Chemainus W.M.S.

The monthly meeting of the Chemainus Women's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church was held in the home of Mrs. Clement. The White Cross convener reminded the members of the list of articles required for the bale for India. An interesting talk was given by Mrs. Perry on the various missionary stations in India, all of them in the Telegu country, showing that the work is being ably carried on, but in some cases under great difficulties. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Clement. The next meeting will be held at the church, with Mrs. Phillips and Mrs. Estridge as tea hostesses.

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Chemainus W.M.C.

The annual shamrock tea of the Women's Missionary Circle of the Baptist Church was held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Dafoe, with a large attendance. Mrs. Wyllie was in charge of the tea and serving and had as helpers Mrs. Perry and Miss Skunberg. Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Cook poured tea and Mrs. Troop and Mrs. Patterson poured coffee. Miss M. Robinson and Miss V. Wyllie were in charge of the home cooking and candy. A short programme consisted of two Irish solos by Mrs. Perry, recitations by Betty Erickson and S. Charlton, and a duet by Miss Joyce McInnes and Miss Queen Robinson. Accompanists were Miss Wallace and Miss Wyllie.

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Pro Patria W.A.

The W.A. to Pro Patria Branch, Canadian Legion, will hold its monthly card social on Tuesday evening, for members and friends, at the Victoria W.I. Hall, 633 Fort Street. Arrangements are being made for a Vimy tea to be held early in April.

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The bridge is under the convenership of Mrs. J. D. Hunter and the social committee.

COMMUNITY CLUB

The Esquimalt Community Club a card party held at the home of Mrs. Raymond on Friday evening, under the convenership of Mr. R. White, proved enjoyable. Prize winners were: Mrs. R. McVie, Mrs. D. McLean, Mrs. C. Brigden, Mrs. J. Norman, Mr. R. White and Mr. R. McVie, Sr. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by several of the guests.

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PERSONAL ITEMS and SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

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St. Patrick's Shower

Miss Jean Colbert entertained recently with a St. Patrick's shower in honor of her cousin, Miss Bea Baldock, an April bride-to-be. On her arrival, the guest of honor was presented by the hostess with a corsage bouquet of pink and white carnations, and later, a large St. Patrick's hat, filled with gifts, was carried into the room by little Susie Colbert in a fairy costume. Court whist and a contest were enjoyed, and prizes were won by Miss Betty Tucker, Miss Edna Fielder and Miss C. Campbell. Supper was served from a table covered with a St. Patrick's cloth and centred with a potted shamrock, flanked by tall green tapers in silver holders. The guests included Misses Dorothy Baldock, Edn. Coates, C. Campbell, Marian Drysdale, Agnes Fish, Winnie Conroy, Sheila Streddon, Phyllis Jones, Louise Crookes, Mildred Fielding, Winnie Webb, Betty Tucker, Dorothy Bowerman, B. Gibbons and Edna Fielder.

Surprise Party

On Wednesday evening at the home of Miss May Bent, 2533 Prior Street, a surprise miscellaneous shower was held in honor of Miss Irene Holness, whose marriage to Mr. Dave Barr will take place next month. On entering the room, the bride-to-be was presented with a corsage bouquet of carnations and ferns. The many gifts were placed in a box decorated in green and white. Contests were enjoyed, the winners being Mrs. F. Bourne and Miss M. Watt. Refreshments were served, the bride-to-be cutting the ice cream cake. The invited guests were Mrs. Holness, Mrs. Bent, Mrs. Matten, Mrs. Sargent, Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. Bourne, Misses Ethel, May and Myrtle Bent, Eileen Chislett, Ivy Amos, Marjorie Watt, Irene, Vera and Evelyn Holness, Alyce Eccles and Iris Couch.

Hostess at Shower

Mrs. G. Smith entertained at a shower recently at her home, 525 Kelvin Road, in honor of Miss Florence Wherry, whose marriage to Mr. Bert Baxter took place last night. The guest of honor received many useful gifts in a prettily decorated basket. Games were played and refreshments served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. G. Lapp, Sr., and Mesdames Baxter Sr., B. Wherry, Sr., Rose, Wallis, Fraser, McArthur, Staples, Stephens, Crawford, Hoy, Jack Taylor, John Baxter, Rowsey, Brandon, William Court, Hogarth, Porter, Bertwistle, P. Alexander, Misses Pearl Lapp and Florence Murkar, and Mr. Bill Baxter.

At Empress Hotel

Visitors to Victoria who registered at the Empress Hotel yesterday included: Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Hazelganz, Tacoma; Miss Shirley Ochs, Miss L. Ramirez, Spokane; J. D. Bacon, Gray Creek, B.C.; Mrs. W. H. McDougall, Kelowna; Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Knight, W. M. Neal, F. W. Ross, C. C. MacDonald, C. Peters, Winnipeg; R. D. Merritt, Miss E. Y. Dale, F. C. Mueller, Seattle; R. B. McElroy, Walla Walla; Miss Barbara Cumming, A. S. Carroll, J. Y. Spear, Colonel E. J. Ryan, C. V. Cannon, A. S. Campbell, Miss R. Hall, Miss Eleanor Hayes, Douglas Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. H. Bardon and J. H. Hamilton, Vancouver.

Dinner Party in Vancouver

Honoring Miss Mae Dickson, whose marriage to Mr. John Oliver Hemmingsen will take place at Easter time, Miss Beatrice Ball entertained last week at a delightful dinner party at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Donald Owens, West 69th Avenue, Vancouver. During the evening Miss Dickson was presented with a gift of lovely China from the guests assembled, with their best wishes.

Cup and Saucer Shower

A delightful cup and saucer shower for Miss Muriel Bell, an April bride-to-be, took the form of a St. Patrick's party at the home of Miss Jose Newsome on Friday. During the evening Mrs. E. Conway assisted with the refreshments from a table decorated with shamrock and daffodils, while the winners of the contest were Mrs. R. Willson and Miss I. Austin. The invited guests included Mrs. F. Howland, Mrs. H. Earl, Mrs. R. Willson, Mrs. E. Conway, Miss D. Stanhope, Miss I. Austin, Miss V. Bell, Miss C. Torrance and Miss J. Torrance.

Hostess at Tea Hour

Mrs. Gerald Lane, 1468 Begbie Street, entertained at tea recently in honor of Mrs. H. J. Langdon, who will leave at the end of the month for England. The lace-covered table was centred with a bowl of Spring flowers. During the afternoon, Mrs. Langdon was presented with a beautiful purse from the assembled guests. Those present were Mesdames J. E. Barnett, W. Lees, L. Lane, W. Stronach, R. Williams, H. Hickling, R. Caton, W. Finmore, W. Elford, A. W. Smith, W. Welland, R. Elford, and Misses Betty Langdon and Barbara Lane.

Children's Party

Mrs. J. A. McColm, 3333 Glasgow Avenue, entertained at a party on Friday afternoon in honor of her daughter, La Vernne, who was ten years old. Tea was served at a table arranged in a color scheme of pink and green, with a centrepiece of Spring flowers. St. Patrick's favors were at each place. Miss Edna Jones assisted the hostess. The invited guests were: Doris Holt, Elsie Pistel, Mary Lou Renouf, Betty Russell, Berna Franklin, Marjorie Jones, Eileen Watkins and Yvonne McColm. Games and singing were enjoyed.

Farewell Tea

Mrs. H. J. Langdon, who will leave for England at the end of this month, was entertained by members of her bridge club at the home of Mrs. J. Neary, Yates Street, on Friday afternoon. The table decorations were in St. Patrick colors with a centrepiece of daffodils. Mrs. Langdon was presented with a gift from the club members. Those present were Mesdames Gerald Lane, J. E. Barnett, W. Lees, J. Neary, W. H. Muncy, A. E. Lewis, W. E. Cook and G. Brockington.

To Visit Expositions

Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Stewart, Simcoe Street, will leave Victoria this afternoon for San Francisco, whence they will travel through the Panama Canal to New York, and will return across Canada. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart will see the Golden Gate Exposition and the New York World's Fair.

Hosts at Party

Captain and Mrs. Hobart Molson were hosts at a delightful cocktail party yesterday at their home on Rockland Avenue, a large number of guests being welcomed. Bowls of daffodils, blue iris, calla lilies and tulips were effectively arranged in the entrance hall, sunroom and candle-lit dining-room.

Presentation Made

Miss Eileen Pettit, Royal Oak, who is to be married shortly, was pleasantly surprised on Wednesday evening, when the executive of the Cedar Hill P.-T.A. met at her home, and presented her with a green leather correspondence portfolio. Mr. R. W. Tipper, president of the association, made the presentation.

To Visit Relatives

Mrs. John A. Logan, 1210 Beach Drive, has left for a visit to her sister, Mrs. D. R. Forgan, Evanston, Ill., after which she will visit her married son, Mr. Douglas Logan, in Toronto, and later Mr. Campbell Logan, who is now living in Montreal.

Leaves for England

Miss Desiree Seale, daughter of Major and Mrs. H. D. Seale, Deal Street, Oak Bay, left yesterday for New York and will sail aboard the Queen Mary on Wednesday to spend a year in England.

Tea for Guest

Mrs. A. Boston, Dysart Road, entertained at a St. Patrick's tea recently in honor of Mrs. E. Hawkes, Balgonie, Sask. Bowls of daffodils decorated the rooms.

At Ganges

Miss D. McBride, New Westminster, is visiting the Island for a few days as the guest of her niece, Mrs. M. F. Macintosh, of "Winfrith," Ganges.

Home From Hospital

Mr. Neil McElroy, Fulford Harbor, has returned home after two weeks in St. Joseph's Hospital, following an accident and operation on his eye.

Is Visiting Here

Mrs. H. A. Stein, Vancouver, has arrived in Victoria to spend several weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold McDonald, 1041 Southgate Street.

Leaving for Alaska

Miss F. Elizabeth (Betty) Smedley, Langford, is leaving today for Juneau, Alaska, where she has been appointed to a position on the hospital nursing staff.

From Saskatchewan

Mr. and Mrs. James Thomson, Edam, Sask., who have been spending a few months at Qualicum, are now staying at The Tourist House, Gorge Road.

Returns to Cranbrook

Mrs. M. F. Philpot, who has been spending the Winter months with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Blair, 85 Burnside Road, has returned to her home at Cranbrook, B.C.

Returns From Salt Spring

Mr. Tom Lumsden returned to Victoria on Thursday after a few days visit to Ganges as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Barradale.

From Buckley Bay

Mrs. Albert Grant motored down from Buckley Bay yesterday to attend the funeral of Mr. George Grimshaw.

Was Visitor at Ganges

Hon. George Pearson, Minister of Labor, has been spending a few days at Ganges as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Mouat, Rainbow Road.

Luncheon Hostess

Mrs. Eve Trill, Montreal, was guest of honor at a small luncheon party given by Mrs. H. C. Greer, Esquimalt Road, yesterday.

In Hospital

Mr. Colin Mouat, Ganges, is a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital, Victoria, where he is recovering from an operation undergone last Monday.

Back From California

Dr. C. W. Duck and Dr. F. R. Richardson have returned to Victoria from a visit to California.

Back From South

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Beaumont have returned to their home in Uplands after a trip to San Diego.

THE NEIGHBOR

According to a fashion designer, certain clothes make some women look very bad-tempered. These are usually the ones worn by the woman next door.

Home to Be in Vancouver

—Photo by Kenneth McAllister.

Mrs. Nelson Hicks and her baby son, Robert Nelson, left recently to join Mr. Hicks in Vancouver and to make their home at 1696 Eleventh Avenue West. The baby's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Hicks, Vancouver, formerly of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Sheret, Government Street.

Solo Dancer Is Applauded At Cabaret

The St. Patrick's Cabaret in the Crystal Ballroom of the Empress Hotel last night was a gay celebration, and the decorations were appropriate to the occasion, a huge glittering shamrock being superimposed upon a drop curtain behind the orchestra stage, and small green shamrocks, outlined with sparkling "glitter" on the walls of the ballroom. The supper tables were centred with potted shamrock and arranged with crossed green streamers.

The orchestra included the popular old Irish melodies in the dance programme, and feature numbers were "Mine Alone," from the popular English musical play, "Magyar Melodies," and "Piece of Mind" from "Keep Smiling," which has been one of Gracie Fields' song hits.

MISS BETTY VICKERS

The solo dancer of the evening was Miss Betty Vickers, Seattle, who gave an amazing performance of an acrobatic control number, in which she wore green taffeta pyjamas trimmed with black velvet which formed the square neckline, the shoulders fastened with black velvet studs. Her agility and grace in the number, in which she performed most difficult feats, astonished the spectators, who applauded her enthusiastically. She also appeared in a novelty soft-shoe dance, in which she wore a striking gown of cerise and royal blue net over a pale blue underskirt, which gave a transparent effect as she danced. Her high kick waltz was particularly graceful, and in this Miss Vickers wore a black chiffon dance frock with Roman stripe ruffles round the hem of the skirt, which measured twenty-one yards in width.

Miss Vickers has recently returned from a dance tour in the Northwestern States, and everywhere she has been given an enthusiastic reception.

Weddings

BAXTER—WHERRY

The marriage of Florence Irene, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Wherry, 2936 Wascana Street, and Mr. Robert Baxter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baxter, 517 Kelvin Road, took place last evening at 8 o'clock at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, in the presence of the parents of the young couple, who were supported by the bridegroom's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Baxter. A small reception was held later at the home of the bride's parents, after which Mr. and Mrs. Baxter left for Vancouver. After their honeymoon, they will return to Victoria to live.

PARTINGTON—CHRISTIE

VANCOUVER, March 18 (CP).—Norah Patricia Christie, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Christie, and Mr. Kenneth Rhodes Partington, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Partington, were married at a quiet ceremony at Holy Trinity Church on Friday evening. The couple will live at Port Alberni, B.C.

McMULLIN—DREANY

VANCOUVER, March 18.—Miss Frances L. C. Dreany, only daughter of Mrs. H. A. Dreany and the late Mr. Dreany, and Mr. John P. McMullin, son of Col. J. H. McMullin, of Beach Drive, Oak Bay, and the late Mrs. McMullin, were married in Holy Trinity Church here at 2:30 p.m. today by Rev. N. D. B. Larmonth.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Harry A. Dreany, was attractive in a white silk organdie gown and a 150-year-old heirloom silk veil. Her wedding bouquet was of Calla lilies.

Mrs. Ian Mackay, matron of honor, wore an aquamarine blue chiffon dress and carried a bouquet of white carnations. The groom was supported by his brother, Mr. Frank McMullin. Miss Thelma Lundahl, of Duncan, B.C., was soloist during the signing of the register.

After the wedding ceremony a reception was held at the home of Mrs. Ian Mackay.

Mr. and Mrs. McMullin will make their home at Kamloops, B.C., following a short honeymoon trip.

I.O.D.E. Activities

Bishop Cridge Chapter

The monthly meeting of Bishop Cridge Ministering Chapter will be held at the home of Mrs. W. Scott Ritchie, 1218 Victoria Avenue, on Tuesday at 2:30 p.m.

Will Make Extended Stay in Europe

—Photo by Chenet.

DR. IRENE BASTOW HUDSON

WHO left on the afternoon boat for Seattle yesterday, en route for San Francisco. After a few days' stay there, she will sail for England, via the Panama Canal, and intends to take post-graduate studies there and on the Continent. She will also attend the International Conference of University Women, to be held in Stockholm this year.

Reports to Be Received At Meeting

The twenty-seventh annual meeting of Victoria Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held in the S.O.E. Hall, Broad Street, on Thursday. The agenda is as follows:

MORNING SESSION

9:45 o'Clock—Assembly of Standards, municipal and primary ("Land of Hope and Glory"); National Anthem; prayer. Silent tribute to members who passed away during the year, Mrs. Cumberland (Gonzales Chapter), Mrs. B. John (Navy League), Madame F. G. Claudet (Camosun), Mrs. Phillips (Florence Nightingale). Resolution of loyalty to Provincial Chapter, I.O.D.E. Announcements; announcement of members entitled to vote (Mrs. Ellis, convener); distribution of ballot papers, ballot open 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.; minutes of last annual meeting (taken as read); correspondence; roll call; chapter activities. Reports of primary chapters: Camosun, Gonzales, Sir James and Lady Douglas, Florence Nightingale, Navy League, Mary Croft Esquimalt, Robert Burns, McMicking, Bishop Cridge Ministering, Dr. O. M. Jones, Sir Matthew Baille Begbie, Major John Hebden Gillespie and Royal Bride (Junior). Adjournment at 12:45 p.m.

AFTERNOON SESSION

2:00 o'Clock—Annual reports of municipal officers: Secretary, Mrs. C. W. Wilson; treasurer, Mrs. E. O. Weston; educational secretary, Mrs. F. F. Beckett, organizing secretary, Mrs. A. H. C. Phipps; Echoes secretary, Mrs. J. T. Jones; standard bearer, Mrs. J. E. Flack. Regent's address, Mrs. Kyrle Symons. Reports of standing committees: Child welfare, Mrs. George Mellor; work in India, Mrs. George Miles; Girl Guides, Mrs. Bob Shanks; distinguished visitors, Mrs. William Ellis; League of Nations, Mrs. Alan Campbell; Navy League, Mrs. Kyrle Symons; immigration, Mrs. A. E. Catterall; service and ex-service, Mrs. C. W. Plumb; transportation, Mrs. E. Eve; endowment fund, Mrs. P. Cunningham; films, Mrs. R. L. Green; house, Mrs. J. Quinn; Local Council of Women, Mrs. J. W. Hudson; Dominion-Provincial youth training, Mrs. A. S. Christie. Tea served at 4.15 p.m. Announcement of election of officers. New business.

Her Excellency To Tour Valley

VANCOUVER, March 18 (CP).—Lady Tweedsmuir, who has in the past assisted library work in isolated districts on the Prairies, will, at her own request, tour the Fraser Valley to see first hand the operation of the Fraser Valley Union Library system.

J. W. Wilson, chairman of the library board, and C. K. Morison, librarian, will conduct Her Excellency on the tour Monday.

The party will visit various library centres and lunch at Abbotsford.

CLUB MEETS UP-ISLAND

DUNCAN, March 18.—The Women's Canadian Club, of Cowichan, at a meeting held Thursday night at the United Church Hall, had as guest speaker Hon. George Spence, a member of the Prairie Rehabilitation Commission, who gave an interesting account of the work of that body. His talk was illustrated with slides, the lantern being operated by Mr. Alfred Flett, Duncan. Mrs. Cyril Pitt presided at the meeting, and the vote of thanks to the speaker was moved by Mrs. D. A. Girvin.

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THEORY

Associateship piano, written — Honors: Cecile King; Mary H. Orme, Gloria Wilson (equal).

Grade V

Harmony, counterpoint, history, form—Honors: George B. Gibson.

Harmony, history—Pass: Ellen R. Millar.

Counterpoint, history—Pass: Nita P. Fox.

Counterpoint—Honors: Gloria M. Wilson.

Grade IV

Harmony, counterpoint—Pass: Phyllis Maddock.

Harmony—Pass: Irene Carter.

Grade III

Harmony, history—First-class honors: Winnifred Elliott.

Harmony—First-class honors: Gloria M. Wilson.

Grade II

Harmony—First-class honors: Margaret E. Shute, Rita Millhouse, John Beckwith, Quentin Lake. Pass: Jeanne Heaslip.

I.O.D.E. Activities

Arbutus Chapter

The Arbutus Chapter held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. C. Alexander, twenty-two members present and the regent, Mrs. Sandland, in the chair. The sum of $2.50 was voted for the Queen Alexandra Solarium fund and $2 to Dean Bollert's educational fund. It was decided to hold an essay contest for public school children on "My Impressions of the Royal Visit." The endowment fund convener read a paper on the origin and aim of the fund. The fancy-dress ball is to be held on May 19 as the fancy-dress birthday ball. It was decided to give the school The National Geographic magazine. Mrs. Sandland gave a questionnaire on the early history of Vancouver Island. Tea hostesses were Miss E. Clement, Mrs. Dumount, Mrs. P. Donoghue and Mrs. J. Coles. The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. Coles.

Two Little Duncan Girls

These two little girls are Monica Claire and Valerie Edith Penn Jaynes, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jaynes, Duncan, B.C., and nieces of Rev. Canon and Mrs. Wickens, Royal Oak. Monica was six years old on Thursday and Valerie's second birthday was on February 5.

Firemen's Ball Held at Sidney

SIDNEY, March 18—Over 400 persons attended the Firemen's Ball, held in Stacey's Hall, Sidney, on St. Patrick's Day. The affair, arranged by the Firemen's Benefit Association, was a social and financial success.

The hall had been artistically decorated for the occasion with motifs and pictures relative to fire-fighting. The five-piece orchestra sat against a bank of greenery on which was a full-size replica of the fire truck painted red.

An artistic panel, the work of a local artist, was at the front of the hall. This showed a fire fighter making a rescue from a burning building.

The walls of the hall were banked with greenery and fire fighters' axes were placed at intervals. Red paper ladders reached from the hall corners to the centre chandelier.

The ball was opened with the grand march, Captain C. R. Wilson acting as piper. An interesting floor show was produced by pupils of Miss Dorothy Cox.

Refreshments were served in the dining-room. The tables and room were decorated in green and white. Green shamrocks were the decorative motif for the room. Brass vases of pussy willow and yellow daffodils decorated the refreshment tables.

During the evening, Mrs. H. Shade was awarded the table lamp. The committee in charge expressed thanks for the splendid support given in arranging the ball.

C.G.I.T. NOTES

FIRST UNITED

An enjoyable splash party was held by the United Group on Friday evening at the Crystal Garden. The girls, accompanied by a leader, Miss J. Wilson, spent a pleasant time in the water.

Y.P.S. NEWS

CHURCH OF OUR LORD

A badminton tournament was held by the young people of the Church of Our Lord recently. Misses Lindner and Proven won the girls' doubles, and Douglas Smith and Gordon Jackson won the boys' doubles. Next week, Mr. Hill will give an address on Palestine, illustrated by lantern slides.

OBYPA

The Oak Bay young people will hold their weekly meeting on Tuesday evening, Kenneth Wilson and his group being in charge of the programme.

P.-T.A. Activities

QUADRA

At a recent meeting of the Quadra Association, delegates elected to attend the Federation Conference to be held in Vancouver in April were Mr. and Mrs. P. E. George and Mrs. T. M. Ross. The members sanctioned the purchase of a cabinet for holding music and phonograph records. A sum of money was voted towards installing indirect lighting in two classrooms.

CEDAR HILL

The monthly meeting of the Cedar Hill association will be held at the school on Wednesday at 8 p.m. The speaker will be Miss M. James, of the Provincial Normal School, who will talk and demonstrate on "The Modern Trend of Primary Education." There will be music and refreshments.

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At the Hotels

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ANNUAL SUPPER

The annual St. Patrick's supper was held on Wednesday evening in the Sunday School room of the Wilkinson Road United Church, when the ladies of the Women's Association, under the convenership of Mrs. A. E. Campion, served a hot supper, featuring Irish stew with vegetables, and home-made buns and pies. Following the supper, the guests adjourned to the church auditorium, where a programme was presented, and included vocal solos by Mrs. J. Nimmo and Mrs. A. V. Simpson; pianoforte duet, Mrs. V. Rush and Mrs. J. Nimmo; reading, Mrs. Rush, and selections by the Wilkinson Road male quartette. Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, Victoria, was the guest speaker and gave a splendid talk on the "Challenge of Democracy in Modern Times."

CHEMAINUS CHOIR

The Chemainus Junior Girls' Choir held a card party and dance on Friday evening to raise funds for music. The entire programme and refreshments were in charge of the nineteen members, assisted by their leader, Mr. L. Jansch, and the pianist, Mrs. Eberts. Twelve tables of shamrock whist were in play, the winner being table number seven. Refreshments were served at tables decorated with shamrocks and streamers and vases of pussy willow and lilies. Dancing followed until 12:30 o'clock, about 150 guests being present.

METCHOSIN CARD PARTY

Miss Anne Marcotte and Mr. F. O. Blake won prizes for the highest scores at the "500" party held recently in the old schoolhouse, Metchosin. Consolation awards went to Mrs. J. T. Gill, Jr., and B. Jennings. Refreshments were served by Mrs. H. Walker and Miss Agnes McKeown.

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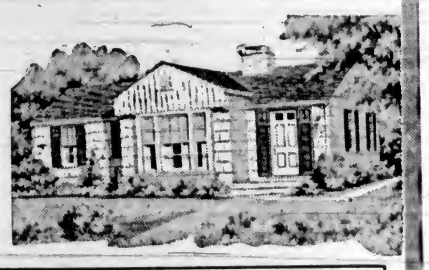

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Miss Helen Watson Is Bride of Mr. Roy Denny

Pretty Wedding Takes Place at First United Church —After Honeymoon Trip to South America, Young Couple Will Live Here

Japanese plum blossom, blue iris, daffodils and pink tulips made a charming floral setting for the marriage of Helen Catherine, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Watson, Somass Drive, and Mr. Roy Campbell Denny, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Denny, Crescent Road, which took place in First United Church at 8:30 o'clock last evening in the presence of a host of friends of the principals. Rev. Hugh A. McLeod conducted the ceremony and the organist played the wedding music.

The bridal party entered the church to the strains of the "Wedding March" from "Lohengrin," and the bride, who was given away by her father, was preceded up the aisle by her attendants, who were her sister, Miss Dorothy Watson, Misses Louise Rogers and Barbara Leigh, and the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. Walter Stenner.

The radiant bride wore a princess gown of ivory satin with a high shirred bodice and sweetheart neckline outlined by a small upstanding collar. The full sleeves were puffed at the top and tapered to points over the wrists, and the skirt ended in a train. A veil of fine illusion tulle fell over the train and was caught to a coronet of pearl orange blossoms backed by a halo of finely pleated tulle. She carried a sheaf of Calla lillies.

THE ATTENDANTS

A floor-length frock of Queen's blue lace featuring the lower waistline and fullness in the skirt fell in full folds from a yoke worn by the matron of honor, Mrs. Walter Stenner, and was girdled with narrow rose velvet ribbon tied in front with long streamers. Over this was worn a bolero with stiff puff sleeves, and her floral doll hat had a matching veil.

Miss Watson was gowned in seafoam chiffon, and the other bridesmaids, Miss Rogers and Miss Leigh, in peach-blush chiffon, the attractive frocks being fashioned alike. The skirts were very full, and the bodices formed by rows of small pleats were buttoned down the back. The trim little jackets of pleated chiffon had Peter Pan collars, and short pleated sleeves, and were also fastened down the back with self-covered buttons. Halo hats of pleated tulle matched the frocks and were trimmed with rosebuds, and wimples of tulle attached to each side cascaded over the shoulders. They all carried Colonial posies of blending flowers, and wore long silk mittens.

Mr. Thomas Denny supported his brother, and the ushers were the bride's brother, Mr. William Watson, Mr. James Genge, Mr. Logan Mayhew and Mr. Walter Stenner. Colonial posies marked the guest pews.

About 100 guests were entertained later at their home by the bride's parents, and were welcomed by Mrs. Watson in an attractive frock of black net over taffeta with a flounced skirt, worn with a short sleeve matching jacket, and a large picture hat of stitched black velvet underlined with American Beauty velvet, her corsage bouquet being of roses of the same shade. Receiving with her was the bridegroom's mother, in a lovely gown of grape-wine velvet with a "strawberry-ice" lace top. Her hat of vintage rose ballbunti straw was trimmed with roses, and she also wore a short moleskin cape and a corsage bouquet of roses.

During the reception, the bridal retinue stood before the fireplace in the drawing-room, which was banked with greenery and baskets of flowers, and later supper was served in the dining-room, where the bride's cake centred the table between vases of roses and forget-me-nots and ivory tapers in silver candelabra.

TO SOUTH AMERICA

The couple left at midnight for Vancouver, whence they will sail by the Trondanger for a cruise through the Panama Canal to South America, and will return in seven weeks overland from New York and take up residence on Gonzales Heights.

For travelling, the bride wore a smart frock of soft Angora wool in the new Suez shade, with a long coat of matching plaid and brown accessories.

Witty Kitty

An optimist is he who thinks he can stand on a street corner and jangle coins in his pocket without having several hats thrust at him.

To Be Married at Royal Oak in April

MISS EILEEN MARY PETTIT

MR. MICHAEL C. NESBITT

—Photos by H. U. Knight.

The Engagement Has Been Announced of Eileen Mary, Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Pettit, Royal Oak, to Mr. Michael Cullum Nesbitt, Eldest Son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Nesbitt, 3701 Quadra Street, and the Wedding Will Take Place at St. Michael's Church on April 14.

Women's Institutes

LAKE HILL

Under the auspices of the Lake Hill Community Hall and Lake Hill Institute, a trip to "Bapco Land" was enjoyed on Thursday evening. The magician with his tricks was most popular.

LANGFORD

An enjoyable St. Patrick's card party was held recently under the auspices of the Langford Institute in the W.I. Hall. Contract bridge was played. Miss Margaret Smedley and Mr. H. A. Hincks were first prize winners; Miss Savory (playing gentleman) and Mrs. R. J. Smith won the consolation awards. Refreshments were served by the social committee, who had charge of the party. The refreshment table was gay with Shamrock decorations and centred with a huge cake with white and green icing.

COWICHAN

The monthly meeting of the Cowichan W.I. was held in St. Edward's Hall, Duncan, on Wednesday, with Mrs. A. X. Rey, vice-president, in the chair. The health convener brought babies' clothes to show what had been made from the material purchased. The garments are to be given to the Health Centre. The convener, Mrs. J. Seeley, reported the progress being made in handicrafts for the Spring flower show next month. A room has been chosen where weekly work meetings will be held and it was hoped to start classes again in the near future. Mrs. A. Stannard reported attending the annual meeting of the Agricultural Society. The inembers of the Institute decided to present prizes for the children's division at the Fall Fair. Easter hampers will be sold again this year. An address on herb-growing will be given at the next business meeting. Mrs. McConnachie, Koksilah, gave a short demonstration of plastic work. Tea was served by Mrs. M. Brooks and Mrs. J. Heyd (Glenora).

SOOKE

Over 200 persons attended the concert and dance in Sooke Hall on Thursday evening, held under the auspices of Sooke and North Sooke Institute. Thirty members of the Craigflower Dramatic Club provided the excellent varied programme. Miss Enid Middleton, eleven years old, delighted the audience with her songs, winning applause and encores. The Hornby brothers with Miss June Brown provided thrills with their roller skating acts. The concert was under the direction of Miss Kathleen Langley.

ENGAGEMENTS

CLARK—ALEXANDER

Mrs. Viva Alexander, 1123 Princess Avenue, announces the engagement of her only daughter, Adelene Ellen, to Mr. William Clark, only son of Mrs. Bertha Payne, Seattle. The wedding will take place at the end of April in San Francisco.

HICKS—JEPHSON

Mrs. Arnold H. Jephson, 424 Linden Avenue, announces the engagement of her daughter, Eda Jeannette, to Mr. Sidney Cardinam Hicks, son of Rev. J. P. and Mrs. Hicks, 617 Drake Street, Esquimalt. The wedding will take place on April 26 at Fairfield United Church.

TIPPETT—DASH

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dash, Seven Oaks Road, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Hilda Eucy, to Mr. George Tippett, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tippett, 676 Alpha Street. The wedding will take place on April 22 at 8:30 p.m. in the new Lake Hill Mission Hall.

DUNCAN—MISKIMAN

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Miskinan, Broadview, Sask., announce the engagement of their second daughter, Elizabeth Cora, to Mr. William Duncan, second son of Mrs. William Martin, 1221 Whittaker Street. The wedding will take place quietly on April 6.

RIGHT ADDRESS

"I'm writing to the landlord, dear, to ask for a new range and a bath," said Mrs. Robinson. "I also want two rooms redecorated. To whom shall I address my letter?"

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Etcher of Note Here As Visitor

As an etcher Margaret Manuel is known to many Victorians as well as elsewhere throughout the continent, for reproductions of her work have appeared on several occasions in The Christian Science Monitor. But a large number of local art enthusiasts had an opportunity on Friday afternoon to see something of Miss Manuel's skill as a landscapist in water colors and pastels when attending an informal tea-reception given in her honor by her sister, Mrs. St. J. Munro, 538 Linden Avenue.

Miss Manuel's present home is in New York. But she is Scottish-born, as several of her pictures of the Lowlands indicate, although she says some of these Scottish etchings were done in America from sketches she made when she was feeling homesick for her native land. Born in Hawick, Scotland, she was a pupil, first, of Ernest Haskell, but later, after coming to this continent, studied at the New York School of Applied Design for Women, and her work shows versatility of technique as well as a good range of subject. She has brought with her only a small part of her paintings, but these show appreciation of color, pleasing composition and strong sense of perspective. In this respect it should be specially mentioned the painting of Gayhead Cliffs, Martha's Vineyard, one of the largest pictures she has brought, and a mountain scene with a stream spreading, fan-shape, as it leaves the narrow canyon to reach the sea.

Her etchings are strong, showing definite intention, incisiveness yet delicacy of line. Among the much-admired ones were "Shephred's Cottage, Pentland Hills," "Windswept Grasses," "Fishermen's Homes, Fifeshire" (among the Scottish subjects), and, among the American, "Wings of the Morning," "Seagulls, Coldspring Harbor, Long Island," "Early Dawning, Duck Island" and "On the Mohawk River, Little Falls." This last is particularly interesting, with sharp contrasts of theme in the factory of the foreground and the peaceful unsullied hills beyond. There were also on view some beautiful little pastels, some flower paintings and etchings, and a portfolio of drawings which guests enjoyed examining after tea. Miss Manuel intends to remain in the West for some time.

Clubs-Societies

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T.V.A. Auxiliary

The St. Patrick's tea held at the home of Mrs. R. Duncan, 94 Linden Avenue, on Thursday, under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Tuberculous Veterans' Association, was well attended. The table looked pretty with daffodils and green candles for decoration. Tea was poured by Mrs. C. McLean and Mrs. Horne, and assisting were Mrs. Brien and Mrs. Huelin. The mystery package contest was won by Mrs. Liddle. In the evening, bridge was played, the prizes being won by Mesdames C. McLean, Fulton and Wilkinson.

Daughters of St. George

Victoria Lodge, No. 83, Daughters of St. George, held its social meeting recently. After the meeting, a successful 500 and whist game was held. The winners were Mrs. J. Morgan, Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. Brien and Mrs. L. Porter. Mrs. K. Gaiger and Mrs. H. Penketh were in charge of the evening. Refreshments, served in the dining-room, brought the evening to a close. Members and friends are reminded of the card game to be held for the drill team on Wednesday at 8.30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. B. Harper, 827 Pandora Avenue.

Army and Navy W.A.

The Army and Navy W.A. will hold its monthly meeting in the library at the clubrooms on Tuesday evening. The St. Patrick's tea held in the Buffalo Hall was most successful. The winners of the card game in the afternoon were Mrs. Randall, Mrs. Welsh and Mrs. Young. In the evening the winners at five hundred were Mrs. Fraser, Mrs. Kelly, Mrs. Sartin and Mrs. W. Carey, and at whist, Mrs. Ferriday, Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Carey, Sr., won prizes. Mr. W. Hope entertained in the evening with tap dancing.

Sooke W.A.

Under the auspices of the Sooke W.A. to the M.S.C.C. of Holy Trinity Church, a Shamrock silver tea was held in Sooke Hall on Wednesday afternoon. The flower-naming contest was in charge of Mrs. M. Roberson. Mrs. K. Graignic won first prize, and Mrs. A. Wilson was second. The guessing competition was won by Mrs. Graignic, and second, Mrs. J. P. Noury. The tea tabes were in charge of Mrs. S. McBride, Mrs. H. Slack and Mrs. Noury.

Esquimalt O.E.S.

A St. Patrick's tea and evening bridge party was held on Friday at the home of Mrs. Walter Grimes, 622 Admirals Road, under the auspices of Esquimalt Chapter, No. 41, Order of the Eastern Star. The guests were received by Mrs. Grimes and Mrs. F. Sanders. The tea table was arranged with daffodils, St. Patrick's favors and green candles, and was presided over by Mrs. Olive Batchelor, Mrs. Rose Tubman and Mrs. Daisy Parrott. The door prize was won by Mrs. Muir, Vancouver.

Britannia L.O.B.A.

Britannia Lodge No. 216, L.O.B.A., held its regular social meeting in the Orange Hall recently with Mrs. Smith in the chair. After a short meeting, dancing and games were enjoyed by members and friends. Prizes were won by Mrs. Muir, Mrs. Reed, Mrs. Hunter, Mrs. Langley and Miss Waldon. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held in the Orange Hall on Tuesday.

Queen Alexandra Review

A short business meeting of Queen Alexandra Review No. 1, Woman's Benefit Association, will be held in the K. of C. Hall tomorrow at 7:30 p.m., the meeting to be followed by a bridge and whist card game at 8:30 o'clock.

Venture Club

The Venture Club held a social and work evening on Friday at the home of its convener, Mrs. Fred Robertson, Cadboro Bay. During the evening, Mrs. Robertson presented Miss Helen Wells, an April bride-to-be, with an Irish linen tablecloth, together with best wishes for her happiness. Refreshments in the St. Patrick motif were served, Miss Lorna Turpel and Miss Gwen Spencer assisting the hostess.

Britannia Branch W.A.

The W.A. to Britannia Branch, No. 7, Canadian Legion, held its regular card social on Thursday evening in the clubrooms. Court whist was in charge of Mrs. M. McInnis and the prize winners were Mrs. G. Aldridge, Mrs. W. Herriott, Mr. H. J. Isaacs, Mrs. P. H. Walker and Mrs. J. Reid. After the game, refreshments were served by Mrs. L. Qualintance and her assistants.

Conservative Club

A silver tea will be held by the Women's Conservative Association on Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock in the clubrooms, Campbell Building, under the convenership of Mrs. G. H. Bevan-Pritchard. There will be home-cooking and candy stalls. A musical programme will also be given during the afternoon.

Purple Star Lodge

Victoria Purple Star Lodge L.O.B.A., No. 104, held its business meeting in the Orange Hall recently, when plans for a tea to be held on Thursday next at the home of Mrs. Rawnsley, 2325 Scott Street, were made. Drill practice will be held at the next social meeting.

St. Matthias' Guild

St. Matthias' Women's Guild will meet for sewing on Thursday at the home of Miss G. Checkley, Uplands. The date of the Easter bazaar to be held in the church hall has been set for Thursday, April 13. A large assortment of articles will be offered for sale.

Mothers' Union

The annual service of the Victoria Diocesan Mothers' Union will be held on Friday at 3 p.m. at the Cathedral. The preacher will be Dean Elliott.

St. Mark's W.A.

A Shamrock silver tea will be held on Wednesday afternoon in the Parish Hall under the auspices of St. Mark's W.A. A good programme has been arranged.

Children's W.A.

The Women's Auxiliary to the Children's Aid will hold its monthly meeting in the Y.M.C.A. on Thursday at 2.30 p.m.

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AROUND the DIAL

TODAY

11:00 a.m.—Members of the cast of the "Swing Mikado" will offer hit tunes from the Gilbert and Sullivan opera in swing time, on the Magic Key programme. KJR.

2:00 p.m.—Three of the six finalists just named in the fourth series of Metropolitan Opera Auditions of the Air will be heard at this time. They are Margaret Carlisle, Elgin, Illinois; Robert Nicholson, Sydney, Australia, and Winnifred Heldt, of Detroit, Michigan. KJR.

3:00 p.m.—"Timber," an original story by Grover Jones and True Boardman, will be the vehicle for Henry Fonda and Gail Patrick when they share the Silver Theatre spotlight. KIRO, CBR.

5:00 p.m.—A dramatized story of the game of baseball, from the earliest days of this sport to the present time, will be heard. KJR, KGO.

9:00 p.m.—Gordon Wooldridge, vice-president of the British Columbia Basketball Association, will give his impressions of the Dominoes-Westerns basketball series when he is interviewed during the broadcast of "Sunday Smiles." CFCT.

TOMORROW

12:15 p.m.—A quartette, composed of Robert Sprenkle, oboe; Fred Klein, horn; Rufus Arey, clarinet, and Vincent Pezzi, bassoon, will be heard during the matinee concert broadcast from Rochester, New York. KJR, KGO.

5:30 p.m.—Geoffrey Waddington will conduct his orchestra during a half-hour of concert music. CBR.

6:00 p.m.—Cecil B. De Mille will direct the Radio Theatre in another play featuring outstanding screen stars. Louis Silvers' Orchestra supplies the musical background. KIRO, KVI, KNX.

7:30 p.m. — Spring and love will have their affect on Al Pearce and His Gang during their broadcast over the Red Network. Carl Hoff's Orchestra will be heard intermittently. KOMO, KPO.

8:15 p.m.—Lum and Abner, rural comedians, will entertain for fifteen minutes with their wit. KIRO, KNX.

8:30 p.m.—Mart Kenney's Western Gentlemen will be heard over the national network of the C.B.C. originating from Vancouver. The orchestra will have Miss Dey and Art Hallman, tenor, as supporting artists. CBR.

Sunday's Programme

(The following programmes are compiled by the various broadcasting companies and are subject to change.)

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1150 Kcys.)

11:00 a.m.—Christ Church Cathedral.
12:30 p.m.—Feature Time.
1:00 p.m.—Sunday Hour.
1:30 p.m.—God's Hour. Dr. Willcox.
5:15 p.m.—Afternoon Classics.
5:30 p.m.—Christian Science Devotional Programme.
5:45 p.m.—Sunday Serenade.
6:30 p.m.—Gospel Sunshine Hour.
7:00 p.m.—Musical Interlude.
7:15 p.m.—Cathedral Bells.
7:30 p.m.—Christ Church Cathedral.
8:45 p.m.—News Summary.
9:00 p.m.—Sunday Smiles.
9:30 p.m.—John Line, piano musings.
10:00 p.m.—Silent.

CJOR, Vancouver (600 Kcys.)

9:00 a.m.—B.C. Church of the Air.
9:30 a.m.—Request Hour.
10:30 a.m.—Sunday Song Service.
11:00 a.m.—Metropolitan Tabernacle.
12:30 p.m.—Concert Miniature.
12:45 p.m.—Ballad Music.
1:00 p.m.—Sunday Hour.
1:30 p.m.—Shut-In Programme.
1:45 p.m.—Nathaniel Shilkret's Orchestra.
2:00 p.m.—Kitsilano Band.
2:30 p.m.—Melody Cancaries.
3:15 p.m.—Foursquare Gospel Lighthouse.
4:15 p.m.—Old Refrains.
4:30 p.m.—Svenska Prassen.
5:00 p.m.—Scandinavian Baptist Mission.
5:15 p.m.—British-Israel Association.
5:45 p.m.—Ballads of the Day.
6:00 p.m.—Concert Hall.
6:30 p.m.—Waltz Time.
7:00 p.m.—News.
7:15 p.m.—Heroic Dogs.
7:30 p.m.—Christ Church Cathedral.
9:00 p.m.—News.
9:15 p.m.—Michelin Nocturne.
9:45 p.m.—Poet's Corner.

C.B.C. NETWORK

9:00 a.m.—Dr. Charles Courbin.
9:30 a.m.—Salt Lake City Tabernacle Choir.
10:00 a.m.—Musically Speaking.
10:30 a.m.—Salute to the World's Fair.
11:00 a.m.—And It Came to Pass.
11:30 a.m.—Devotional Service.
12:00 noon—New York Philharmonic Orch.
2:00 p.m.—Church of the Air.
2:30 p.m.—Buckingham Palace.
3:00 p.m.—Silver Theatre.
3:30 p.m.—The World Today.
4:00 p.m.—"Drums," drama.
4:30 p.m.—Melodic Strings.
5:00 p.m.—U.B.C. Symphony Hour.
6:00 p.m.—The Hart House String Quartette.
6:30 p.m.—The Lyrig Trio and Alan McIvor.
7:00 p.m.—National Forum.
7:30 p.m.—By the Sea.
8:00 p.m.—The News.
8:15 p.m.—Isaac Mamott and Gordon McLean.
8:30 p.m.—Serenade for Strings.
9:00 p.m.—Concert Band, Calvin Winter.
9:30 p.m.—C. Q. Williams, baritone.
9:45 p.m.—The News.
10:00 p.m.—The Romance of Sacred Song.

N.B.C.-R.P.O. RED NETWORK
(KHQ-KGW-KFI-KPO-KOMO)

8:00 a.m.—Press News.
8:15 a.m.—Chimney House.
8:30 a.m.—Christopher Columbus Memorial.
8:30 a.m.—Tapestry of Music.
9:00 a.m.—Seattle Pacific College (KOMO).
9:30 a.m.—University of Chicago Round Table.
10:00 a.m.—Irene Wicker's Plays.
10:30 a.m.—Salute of Nations.
11:00 a.m.—Dinner at Aunt Fannie's.
11:30 a.m.—Barry McKinley, baritone.
12:00 noon—Biographies (KCMO).
12:30 p.m.—Name the Place.
12:45 p.m.—Bob Becker.
1:00 p.m.—Vivian Della Chiesa.
1:15 p.m.—Hendrick Willem van Loon.
1:30 p.m.—The World Is Yours.
2:00 p.m.—Uncle Ezra's Sunday Afternoon.
2:30 p.m.—Organ.
3:00 p.m.—Old Songs of the Church.
3:30 p.m.—Professor Puzzlewit.
3:45 p.m.—Norsemen Quartette.
4:00 p.m.—Playhouse.
4:30 p.m.—Bandwagon.
5:00 p.m.—Bergen and McCarthy.
6:00 p.m.—Manhattan Merry-Go-Round.
6:30 p.m.—Album of Familiar Music.
7:00 p.m.—The Circle.
8:00 p.m.—Walter Winchell.
8:15 p.m.—Irene Rich.
8:30 p.m.—Jack Benny.
9:00 p.m.—Seth Parker.
9:30 p.m.—One Man's Family.
10:00 p.m.—News Flashes.
10:15 p.m.—Paul Carson, organ.

N.B.C.-KGO BLUE NETWORK
(KGO-KJR-KEX-KECA-KGA)

8:00 a.m.—Dr. Kenyon's Church of the Air (KJR).
8:30 a.m.—Compass Mission (KJR).
9:00 a.m.—Radio City Music Hall.
10:00 a.m.—Great Plays.
11:00 a.m.—Magic Key.
12:00 noon—Armco Band.
12:30 p.m.—John Seasia (KJR).
12:45 p.m.—Festival of Music.
1:00 p.m.—National Vespers.
1:30 p.m.—Rev. Henry B. Ness (KJR).
2:00 p.m.—Metropolitan Opera Auditions.
2:30 p.m.—Emmanuel Tabernacle.
3:00 p.m.—Catholic Hour.
3:30 p.m.—New Friends of Music.
4:00 p.m.—Lutheran Gospel Hour (KJR).
4:30 p.m.—Rev. U. M. Amunsden.
4:45 p.m.—Paul Carson, organist.
5:00 p.m.—Cavalcade of Baseball.
6:00 p.m.—Hollywood Playhouse.
6:30 p.m.—Readers Guide.
6:45 p.m.—National Conference of Jews and Christians.
7:00 p.m.—Maurice Spitalny's Orchestra.
7:30 p.m.—Cicerio.
8:00 p.m.—So Goes the World (KJR).
8:30 p.m.—Russ Morgan's Orchestra.
9:00 p.m.—News.
9:15 p.m.—Trinity Choir (KJR).
9:30 p.m.—Herbie Kay's Orchestra.
10:00 p.m.—Paul Martin's Orchestra.
10:30 p.m.—Emil Seifert's Orchestra.

COLUMBIA NETWORK
(KVI-KIRO-KFPY-KOIN-KNX-KSL)

8:00 a.m.—West Coast Church of the Air.
8:30 a.m.—Swedish Tabernacle (KIRO).
9:00 a.m.—Major Bowes' Family.
9:30 a.m.—Salt Lake City Tabernacle Choir.
10:00 a.m.—Church of the Air.
10:30 p.m.—Hits and Encores.
10:45 a.m.—Newscast (KIRO).
11:00 a.m.—Congressional Church. Rev. L. W. Fifield (KIRO).
12:15 p.m.—Philharmonic Symphony Society.
2:00 p.m.—Newscast (KIRO).
2:15 p.m.—F.B.I. Crime Trails.
2:30 p.m.—Problem Clinic.
3:00 p.m.—Silver Theatre.
3:30 p.m.—Gateway to Hollywood.
4:00 p.m.—The People's Platform.
4:30 p.m.—Nordic Hour.
5:00 p.m.—This Is New York.
6:00 p.m.—Sunday Evening Hour.
7:00 p.m.—Robert Benchley.
7:30 p.m.—Rhyming Times.
7:45 p.m.—Newscast (KIRO).
8:00 p.m.—Court of Public Opinion.
9:00 p.m.—Ben Bernie.
9:30 p.m.—Harry Owen's Orchestra.
10:00 p.m.—Dick Aurandt's Orchestra.
10:15 p.m.—A Song at Evening.
10:45 p.m.—Newscast (KIRO).
11:00 p.m.—Today's Almanac.
11:15 p.m.—Music in Sentimental Mood.
11:45 p.m.—Prelude to Midnight.
12:00 m.n.—Concert Hour.

MUTUAL-DON LEE NETWORK
KOL, Seattle

8:00 a.m.—Dick Hardina, organ.
8:15 a.m.—Christian Science Programme.
8:30 a.m.—Allan Gerard, baritone.
8:45 a.m.—Canary Chorus.
9:15 a.m.—Dr. Charles Courbin, songs.
9:30 a.m.—The Lamplighter.
10:00 a.m.—Sumner Prindle, pianist.
10:15 a.m.—The Mighty "I Am."
10:30 a.m.—Salute of the Nations.
11:00 a.m.—Sinfonietta.
11:30 a.m.—Salvatore Mario de Stefano.
12:00 noon—On a Sunday Afternoon.
12:30 p.m.—News.
12:45 p.m.—Tony Caboosh.
1:00 p.m.—Benno Rabinoff, violin.
1:30 p.m.—Lutheran Hour.
2:00 p.m.—Geo. E. Sokolsky, commentator.
2:30 p.m.—Rabbi Magnin.
3:00 p.m.—Help Thy Neighbor.
3:30 p.m.—Show of the Week.
4:00 p.m.—Gene Englander's Orchestra.
5:00 p.m.—American Forum of the Air.
6:00 p.m.—Old-Fashioned Revival Hour.
7:00 p.m.—Good-Will Hour.
8:00 p.m.—McNeelev's Pianists.
9:00 p.m.—Newscast.
9:15 p.m.—Frank and Archie.
9:30 p.m.—Words and Music.
9:45 p.m.—Drama.
10:00 p.m.—Phil Harris' Orchestra.
10:30 p.m.—Chuck Foster's Orchestra.
11:00 p.m.—Weather Report.
11:01 p.m.—Jack McLean's Orchestra.
11:30 p.m.—The Playboys.
11:45 p.m.—Midnight Moods.

Monday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1150 Kcys.)

8:00 a.m.—Morning Salute.
8:15 a.m.—Breakfast News.
8:30 a.m.—Musical Chronometer.
9:00 a.m.—Outlook and Uplook.
9:15 a.m.—Morning Classics.
9:30 a.m.—Financial Flashes.
9:45 a.m.—Barnabas von Geezy's Orches.
10:00 a.m.—Morning Monitor.
10:10 a.m.—Dick Todd and the Orchestra.
10:30 a.m.—Provincial Health Series.
10:45 a.m.—Organ Artists.
11:00 a.m.—Hit Parade.
11:30 a.m.—Concert Time.
12:00 noon—Calling Vancouver Island!
12:30 p.m.—Midday News.
12:45 p.m.—Noon Hour Varieties.
1:00 p.m.—Healing Words.
1:15 p.m.—Melody Time.
1:25 p.m.—World Book Man.
1:30 p.m.—Stephen Foster Melodies.
1:45 p.m.—Sheep Field's Orchestra.
2:00 p.m.—Concert Hour.
2:00 p.m.—Richard Himber's Orchestra.
3:15 p.m.—James Melton, tenor.
3:30 p.m.—Ray Noble's Orchestra.
3:45 p.m.—Tommy Dorsey's Orchestra.
4:00 p.m.—Music by Schubert.
4:30 p.m.—Tea Time Tunes.
5:00 p.m.—Monitor Comment.
5:15 p.m.—Yesterday's Hits.
5:30 p.m.—Skinnay Ennis' Orchestra.
5:45 p.m.—Wayne King's Orchestra.
6:00 p.m.—Music by Schubert.
6:30 p.m.—Tea Time Tunes.
6:50 p.m.—Monitor Comment.
7:00 p.m.—Yesterday's Hits.
7:30 p.m.—Hymnmaker's Old Timers.
8:00 p.m.—Rhythm Rascals.
8:30 p.m.—News Summary.

CJOR, Vancouver, B.C. (600 Kcys.)

8:00 a.m.—News.
8:15 a.m.—Music Graphs.
8:30 a.m.—Concert Miniature.
8:45 a.m.—Melody Time.
9:00 a.m.—Shut-In Programme.
9:15 a.m.—Master Singers.
9:30 a.m.—Gospel Singers.
9:45 a.m.—The Goldbergs.
10:00 a.m.—Stocks.
10:05 a.m.—Popular Interlude.
10:15 a.m.—On the Mall.
10:30 a.m.—Good Morning, Neighbor.
11:00 a.m.—News.
11:15 a.m.—Voices Mean Dollars.
11:30 a.m.—Ballad Music.
11:45 a.m.—Smiling Jack.
12:00 noon—Willi Wylie, popular piano.
12:15 p.m.—Dance Hour.
12:30 p.m.—News Flashes.
12:45 p.m.—The Voice of Experience.
1:00 p.m.—Famous Voices.
1:15 p.m.—Ab Hine.
1:30 p.m.—Sue's Notebook.
2:00 p.m.—From Two to Three.
3:00 p.m.—Life Can Be Beautiful.
3:15 p.m.—Ma Perkins.
3:30 p.m.—Pepper Young's Family.
3:45 p.m.—Vic and Sade.
4:00 p.m.—Concert Interlude.
4:15 p.m.—Easy Aces.
4:30 p.m.—Master Singers.
4:45 p.m.—Lombardo Time.
5:00 p.m.—Smilin' Billy Blinkhorn.
5:15 p.m.—On With the Dance.
5:30 p.m.—Pelican Club.
5:45 p.m.—Howie Wing, drama.
6:00 p.m.—The Monitor.
6:15 p.m.—Concert Hall.
6:45 p.m.—Music by Cugat.
7:00 p.m.—News.
7:15 p.m.—Lata Sports Review.
7:30 p.m.—The Apple Hour.
7:45 p.m.—Radio Rascals.
8:00 p.m.—News Flashes.
8:15 p.m.—Vox Pop.
8:30 p.m.—Ab Hine's Varieties.
9:00 p.m.—Jubilee Singers.
9:30 p.m.—Hollywood Gossip.
9:45 p.m.—In the Gloaming.
10:15 p.m.—Marion Downes.
10:30 p.m.—News.
10:45 p.m.—William Nelles, organist.
11:15 p.m.—Musical Cavalcade.

C.B.C. NETWORK

8:00 a.m.—News.
8:07 a.m.—Musical Minutes.
9:00 a.m.—Kelly's Washtub.
9:15 a.m.—The Kidoodlers.
9:30 a.m.—The Toronto Trio.
10:00 a.m.—The Happy Gang.
10:30 a.m.—Road of Life.
10:45 a.m.—The Charioteers.
11:00 a.m.—Big Sister.
11:15 a.m.—London Calling.
12:00 noon—Concert Hall.
12:35 p.m.—Press News.
12:45 p.m.—In Modern Mood.
1:00 p.m.—How Do You Do?
1:15 p.m.—Club Matinee.
1:30 p.m.—Pictures in Song.
1:45 p.m.—Tales of Fashion.
2:00 p.m.—Melody Lane.
2:15 p.m.—Lucille.
2:30 p.m.—Pianograms.
2:45 p.m.—Closing Stocks.
3:00 p.m.—Bob Armstrong's Orchestra.
3:15 p.m.—Patricia Gilmore, songs.
3:30 p.m.—Music from the Maritimes.
4:00 p.m.—Luigi Romanelli's Orchestra.
4:15 p.m.—Major Bill.
4:30 p.m.—Magical Voyage.
4:45 p.m.—My Job, Interview.
5:00 p.m.—C'Est Paris.
5:30 p.m.—Geoffrey Waddington Conducts.
6:00 p.m.—Radio Theatre.
7:00 p.m.—Symphony Orchestra.
7:30 p.m.—The United States Today.
7:45 p.m.—Clement Q. Williams.
8:00 p.m.—The News.
8:15 p.m.—The Tudor String Quartette.
8:30 p.m.—Mart Kenney's Orchestra.
9:00 p.m.—The Green Door.
9:30 p.m.—The Cariboo Miner.
9:45 p.m.—The News.
10:00 p.m.—Random Rhythm.
10:15 p.m.—Bruce Langton, raconteur.
10:30 p.m.—Organ Recital.

N.B.C.-KPO RED NETWORK
(KHQ-KGW-KFI-KPO-KOMO)

8:00 a.m.—Morning Reveries (KOMO).
8:15 a.m.—Crosscuts.
8:30 a.m.—Capt. Dobbsie.
9:00 a.m.—Heart of Julia Blake (KOMO).
9:15 a.m.—The O'Neills.
9:30 a.m.—Opportunity.
9:45 a.m.—Home Service Programme.
10:00 a.m.—John's Other Wife.
10:15 a.m.—Just Plain Bill.
10:30 a.m.—Dangerous Roads.
10:45 a.m.—Dr. Kate.
11:00 a.m.—Betty and Bob.
11:15 a.m.—A Grimm's Daughter.
11:30 a.m.—Valiant Lady.
11:45 a.m.—Hymns of All Churches.
12:00 noon—Mary Marlin.
12:15 p.m.—Ma Perkins.
12:30 p.m.—Pepper Young's Family.
12:45 p.m.—Guiding Light.
1:00 p.m.—Backstage Wife.
1:15 p.m.—Stella Dallas.
1:30 p.m.—Vic and Sade.
1:45 p.m.—Girl Alone.
2:00 p.m.—Houseboat Hannah.
2:15 p.m.—Charlie Marshall.
2:30 p.m.—Three Romeos.
2:45 p.m.—Lilyan Cornell, songs.
3:00 p.m.—Science in the News.
3:15 p.m.—I Love a Mystery.
3:30 p.m.—Women's Magazine of the Air.
4:00 p.m.—Rendezvous.
4:15 p.m.—Paul Carson at the Organ.
4:45 p.m.—Stetler Orchestra.
5:00 p.m.—Carson Robinson and His Buckaroos.
5:30 p.m.—Those We Love.
6:00 p.m.—Nathaniel Shilkret (KOMO).
6:15 p.m.—Primrose Quartette.
6:30 p.m.—Eddie Duchin's Orchestra.
7:00 p.m.—Contented Programme.
7:30 p.m.—Al Pearce and His Gang.
8:00 p.m.—Amos and Andy.
8:15 p.m.—Edwin C. Hill.
8:30 p.m.—Voice of Firestone.
9:00 p.m.—Hawthorne House.
9:30 p.m.—The Battle of the Sexes.
10:00 p.m.—News Flashes.
10:15 p.m.—Sports Graphic.
10:30 p.m.—Carlos Molina's Orchestra.
11:00 p.m.—Paul Martin's Orchestra.
11:30 p.m.—Beau Arts Trio.

N.B.C.-KGO BLUE NETWORK
(KGO-KJR-KEX-KECA-KGA)

8:00 a.m.—Viennese Ensemble.
8:30 a.m.—Pau, Pace, songs.
8:45 a.m.—Originalities.
9:00 a.m.—A Woman Wonders.
9:15 a.m.—News Reporter (KJR).
9:30 a.m.—National Farm and Home Hour.
10:15 a.m.—Agriculture Today.
10:30 a.m.—Cecil Solly (KJR).
10:45 a.m.—Charioteers.
11:00 a.m.—Adventures in Reading.
11:30 a.m.—Alma Kitchell.
11:45 a.m.—Manhattan Melodies.
12:00 noon—Department of Agriculture.
12:15 p.m.—Instrumental Quartette.
12:30 p.m.—News (KJR).
12:45 p.m.—Between the Book-Ends.
1:00 p.m.—Club Matinee.
2:00 p.m.—Rakov's Orchestra.
2:15 p.m.—The Jive Five.
2:30 p.m.—Landt Trio.
2:45 p.m.—Vaughn De Leath, singer.
3:00 p.m.—Bob Armstrong's Orchestra.
3:15 p.m.—Patricia Gilmore.
3:30 p.m.—Mary Perkins.
3:45 p.m.—New Kenmore Orchestra.
4:00 p.m.—Miniatures in Music.
4:30 p.m.—Jimmy Kemper, songs.
4:45 p.m.—Science on the March.
5:00 p.m.—Tune Types.
5:30 p.m.—Musical Vignettes.
5:45 p.m.—Scandinavian Reporter.
6:00 p.m.—Hour of Charm.
6:30 p.m.—News Reporter (KJR).
6:45 p.m.—Scouting Round the World (KJR).
7:00 p.m.—True or False.
7:30 p.m.—National Radio Forum.
8:00 p.m.—Rainbow Orchestra.
8:15 p.m.—Mike Lights.
8:30 p.m.—Every Man a King (KJR).
9:00 p.m.—News Reporter (KJR).
9:15 p.m.—Mysteries of Life.
9:30 p.m.—Tropical Moods.
9:45 p.m.—Ricardos Rhapsodies.
10:00 p.m.—Jimmy Richards' Orchestra.
10:30 p.m.—Nixon Orchestra.
11:00 p.m.—Paul Carson, organist.

COLUMBIA NETWORK
(KVI-KIRO-KFPY-KOIN-KNX-KSL)

8:00 a.m.—Quarter-Hour Glass.
8:15 a.m.—Ann Leaf at the Organ.
8:30 a.m.—Weather Forecast.
8:45 a.m.—Russell Brown.
9:00 a.m.—Connie Worth.
9:15 a.m.—Her Honor, Nancy James.
9:30 a.m.—Romance of Helen Trent.
9:45 a.m.—Our Gal Sunday.
10:00 a.m.—The Goldbergs.
10:15 a.m.—Life Can Be Beautiful.
10:30 a.m.—The Family Doctor.
10:45 a.m.—Feminine Forum (KIRO).
11:00 a.m.—Big Sister.
11:15 a.m.—Aunt Jenny's Stories.
11:30 a.m.—American School of the Air.
12:00 noon—News at Noon (KIRO).
12:15 p.m.—Singin' Sam.
12:30 p.m.—Harvey Hardine, singing organist.
12:45 p.m.—Fletcher Wiley.
1:00 p.m.—Pretty Kitty Kelly.
1:15 p.m.—Myrt and Marge.
1:30 p.m.—Hilltop House.
1:45 p.m.—Stepmother.
2:00 p.m.—Scattergood Baines.
2:15 p.m.—The Life and Love of Doctor Susan.
2:45 p.m.—Lost and Found.
3:00 p.m.—News.
3:05 p.m.—Tea Dance.
3:15 p.m.—Job Finder.
3:30 p.m.—Today.
3:45 p.m.—Maury Rider.
4:00 p.m.—County Seat.
4:15 p.m.—Piano-side Interviews.
4:30 p.m.—Seattle P. A.
4:45 p.m.—Tea for Two.
5:00 p.m.—Father Goose Comes to Town.
5:15 p.m.—Howie Wing.
5:30 p.m.—Headlines on Parade.
5:45 p.m.—Howard Obritzan.
6:00 p.m.—Radio Theatre.
7:00 p.m.—Guy Lombardo's Orchestra.
7:30 p.m.—Edna Cantor.
8:00 p.m.—The People's Vote, Sam Hays.
8:15 p.m.—Lum and Abner.
8:30 p.m.—Howard and Shelton.
9:00 p.m.—Cavalcade of America.
9:30 p.m.—Sonny Tuckee.
9:45 p.m.—To be announced.
10:00 p.m.—Seattle Forum (KIRO).
10:30 p.m.—Night Extra (KIRO).
10:45 p.m.—Starlight Serenade.
11:00 p.m.—Today's Almanac.
11:15 p.m.—Gaslight Harmonies.
11:45 p.m.—Song of the Islands.
12:00 p.m.—Concert Hour.
1:00 a.m.—Nabil Owen.

MUTUAL-DON LEE NETWORK
(KOL, Seattle)

8:00 a.m.—Sons of the Pioneers.
8:15 a.m.—Haven of Rest.
8:45 a.m.—Theatre Club.
9:00 a.m.—Elias Breeskin, violin.
9:15 a.m.—The Swingsters.
9:30 a.m.—News Flashes.
9:45 a.m.—Patty Jean Health Club.
10:00 a.m.—Hoop Gang.
10:15 a.m.—Vido Musso's Orchestra.
10:30 a.m.—Woman's Radio Hour.
10:45 a.m.—Voice of Experience.
11:00 a.m.—Nation's School of the Air.
11:30 a.m.—Sylvia Scythe, soprano.
11:45 a.m.—Move and Music.
12:00 noon—News Flashes.
12:15 p.m.—Industrial Accident Commission.
12:30 p.m.—Hugh Monard's Orchestra.
12:45 p.m.—Health and Training.
1:00 p.m.—Monitor Views the News.
1:15 p.m.—Tico Tico Trio.
1:30 p.m.—Wayne and Dick, songs.
1:45 p.m.—Book a Week.
2:00 p.m.—Patty Jean Health Club.
2:15 p.m.—The Johnson Family.
2:30 p.m.—Three Graces.
2:45 p.m.—Matinee Manor.
3:00 p.m.—Feminine Fancies.
3:30 p.m.—As You Like It.
3:45 p.m.—Music from Maritimes.
4:00 p.m.—News.
4:15 p.m.—Let's Play Bridge.
4:30 p.m.—Music by Faith.
5:00 p.m.—Studies in Contrast.
5:30 p.m.—Dick Tracy.
5:45 p.m.—Little Orphan Annie.
6:00 p.m.—Jack Armstrong.
6:15 p.m.—Melody Trail.
6:30 p.m.—News Flashes.
6:45 p.m.—Adventures of Shafter Parker.
7:00 p.m.—News Themes.
7:15 p.m.—Piano Moods.
7:30 p.m.—The Lone Ranger.
8:00 p.m.—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
8:15 p.m.—Frank Bull, sports.
8:30 p.m.—Ruth Harris, songs.
8:45 p.m.—Political News Hunt.
9:00 p.m.—Newspaper of the Air.
9:15 p.m.—Frank and Archie.
9:30 p.m.—Bob Crosby's Orchestra.
9:45 p.m.—Thomas Conrad Sawyer, commentator.
10:00 p.m.—Irvin's Scrapbook.
10:30 p.m.—Jim Walsh's Orchestra.
11:00 p.m.—Jack McLean's Orchestra.
11:30 p.m.—Skinnay Ennis Orchestra.
11:45 p.m.—Midnight Matinee.

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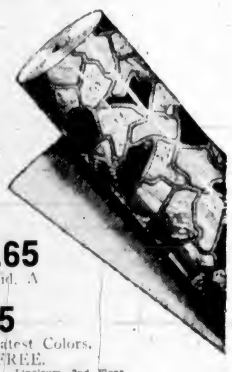

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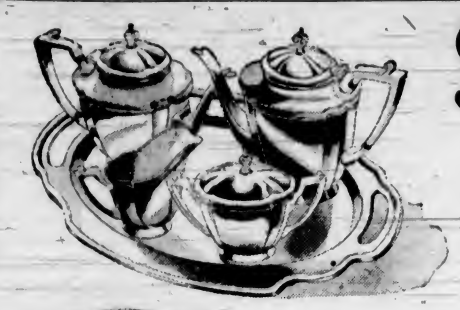

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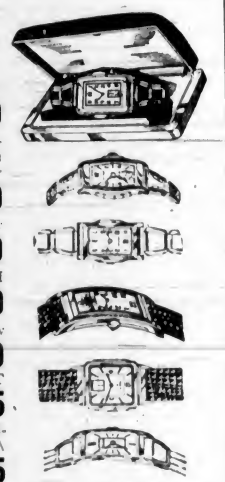

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LOVE COMES LAST

Julie Anne Moore

CHAPTER XXXVII

Though she and Bart had been out most of the night, Laura went to the office as usual Saturday morning. However, she did indulge herself by arriving an hour late and so missed Hannah Cromwell who had waited half an hour for her and then left a note on her desk.

"Father tells me you want to get out of the city for a time. If you can find it in your heart to be charitable, I should so like to have you come to our place for as long as you find it possible to stay. We plan to go out in time for dinner tonight and will be more than pleased if you will go with us. Please, please give me this opportunity to make at least partial amends for something for which I shall be deeply ashamed always. I will call you here at your office at eleven . . . Sincerely, Hannah Cromwell."

Laura sank into her chair and read the note a second time, slowly, thoughtfully. Was this the girl who had slapped her face in public a few days ago? It seemed impossible, and yet the words rang true. Either Hannah was genuinely contrite or she was devilishly clever and Laura was disposed to give her the benefit of the doubt.

Dale, she reasoned, had gone home and told his daughter that he had—from Laura herself that she was not interested in Bart. Perhaps he hadn't done it quite so clumsily as that, but had somehow let her understand that she had nothing to fear from Laura. And Hannah, thinking it over, had come to the conclusion that she had made a complete fool of herself and done Laura a grave injury in the bargain.

This left her no choice but to accept the invitation—provided, of course, Bart agreed to her plan to begin work on the "Spring Dawn" serial at once.

But Bart was not in. She asked his secretary to call him at his apartment and was informed that, according to his valet, Mr. Ford was indisposed and could not be disturbed. This message brought a smile to Laura's lips, for she knew that Bart's indisposition was nothing more serious than sound sleep after their night of celebrating for landing the "Spring Dawn" contract.

It was not Hannah but Dale who called at eleven o'clock. He said, "Hannah is buying out some women's apparel shop, so I promised to call if she was not here by eleven. You will come with us, Miss Wiley?"

Laura explained that she had not had an opportunity to talk with Bart, and Bart to me. Dale said, "You leave your disposal. There will be a car at and you may while you are with us, come into the city every day if Bart needs you."

"All right," she said at last.

After a moment's silence, he said, "You are coming as our guest, Miss Wiley, and I want you to try to enjoy what little we have to offer. I explain that because after our little talk you may feel that I expect you to go out of your way to win Hannah's friendship, which is not the case. Your presence in the house will do that, I am confident."

Laura was not at all sure. It was a question that was to grow increasingly troublesome in the week ahead, but now she pushed it aside and gave her attention to deciding what she should take with her in addition to a portable typewriter and a supply of paper.

Ready and waiting for Dale and Hannah that afternoon, an old fear formed in her mind. Suppose Nina should want to get in touch with her while she was away? Or Andy. If anything should happen to Nina? Which, though she tried very hard not to admit it, was the real basis of her uneasiness. She had worried about Nina for years. She supposed, in spite of everything, she would go on worrying about her.

It was ten o'clock when Bart arrived at the office Monday morning and found Andy Cooper already there. Andy seemed a little subdued, but during a discussion of business conditions, particularly as they affected the new Bridgehaven office, Andy's enthusiasm increased rapidly as he outlined his plans. At one point he said:

"You've probably discovered by now that I've been giving more and more attention to small accounts. With conditions as they are, the big firms are over-cautious and no amount of salesmanship can get very far. But in the Bridgehaven district there are any number of smaller concerns in fairly good shape and I've been going after them on the theory that what is needed most at the moment is volume. Not forgetting, of course, that some of these small businesses may in time become important clients."

Bart agreed with that. "It's a lesson we learned in '29 and the years immediately after," he said, of no mind to let his Bridgehaven office executive think for a moment that he had discovered something new. "Small accounts add up," he said, "and in an area such as yours you would be very unwise to sit back and wait for big fish when you can have the small fry almost for the asking."

The smaller accounts Andy had brought in hadn't been assured for the asking; but Andy did not argue the point. He said, "We're in agreement there, then. I wasn't sure what your attitude would be."

As they talked it came to Bart that Andy Cooper was a little too anxious to make a case for himself and the new branch office. He might have reassured him. He might have said frankly that the Bridgehaven office had delivered more than its share of new business. But, that wasn't Bartley Ford's method. To praise was to imply satisfaction, and he was never satisfied, he said, by the way of ending the discussion.

"We can't expect a new office to pay its way overnight, Cooper. At the first opportunity I'll run up for a day and we'll look over the field and see what can be done."

But he hadn't brought Andy Cooper to New York for this. He had brought him here for the single purpose of observing his meeting with Laura—and Laura was at Dale Cromwell's.

(To Be Continued)

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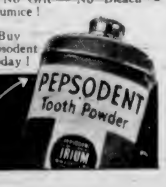

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Letters to the Editor

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WHAT IS A LADY?

Sir,—"A woman who always behaves like a gentleman." I do not know who said this.

NOEL MONEY.

Homme House, Qualicum Beach, B.C., March 16, 1939.

CHRISTIANITY IN BRITAIN

Sir,—It will occasion regret and, perhaps, some resentment that Mr. Arinup has so far allowed his credenda to stifle his chivalric instincts as to charge a cultured lady with deliberate untruth and falsifying historical evidence. (See March 13.) The alleged untruth is "That the Anglo-Saxons owe their conversion to Augustine." Mrs. Altree Coley, in this morning's issue, fortifies his statement thus: "Britain had been evangelized from the first century of the Christian era."

If Miss Metford has erred it was through an overstatement, pardonable in a condensed message, intended simply to grace a special occasion. Even so, she has erred in good company.

Archbishop French, Mediaeval Ch. Hist., p. 28: "To Gregory the Great we owe the foundation of the mission by which England was restored to a place in the commonwealth of Christian nations."

Enc. Brit., viii, 278: "The Church of England which was founded by Augustine has nothing whatever to do with the early British Church. The Church of England is the daughter of the Church of Rome, more directly, perhaps, than any other church in Europe."

Mosheim, Eccl. Hist., p. 240: "The result of Augustine's labors was that Ethelbert and the other six Anglo-Saxon kings gradually came over to the side of Christianity and all Britain became professedly Christian."

Green, Short Hist. 55: "With Augustine, the civilization, art, letters, which had fled before the English Conquest returned with the Christian faith."

Fisher, Ch. Hist., p. 146: "Christianity was to come to the Anglo-Saxons first from Rome" (through Augustine).

Newman, Ch. Hist., p. 412: "By 601 a thorough organization had been effected, Augustine having been constituted archbishop, and a number of churches and monasteries established."

Audi alteram partem. Mrs. Coley: "That Britain had been evangelized from the first century of the Christian era is attested by Church Fathers and Gildas."

Mosheim, p. 52: "Whether any apostle or any companion of an apostle ever visited Britain cannot be determined. All is traditional."

Newman, p. 409: "All traditions that Christianity was introduced into Britain during the apostolic age are unhistorical. It was probably in connection with the Roman army toward the close of the second century. There is no evidence that Britons sat in the Nicene Council."

Milner, p. 271: "The only religion known in any part of the British Isles prior to the second century was Druidism."

Mrs. Coley: "Bede's authority, as virtually a contemporary, is indisputable."

N.B.—Bede's History was published in 732 A.D. His own account is not so "indisputable": "Thus much of the Eccl. Hist. of the English nation, as far as I could learn from the writing of the ancients, or the traditions of our ancestors, or of my own knowledge, has, with the help of God, been digested by me, Bede, K. T. L."

In conclusion, Christians of the British type were quite distinct from the followers of Patrick and Columba. Their only historian is Gildas. He tells us that his information was collected from foreign sources. No dates are given and his statements are "vague and obscure." The Christians were mercilessly massacred by our Anglo-Saxon ancestors. (See Green, p. 47.) Those who survived, most of them, were slaughtered by Ethelbert at the instigation of Augustine when they refused subjection to the Roman See. Gildas tells of 3,000 who were thus slaughtered on a single occasion.

FRED T. TAPSCOTT.

3342 Whittier Avenue, Victoria, B.C., March 15, 1939.

MEXICO CELEBRATES

MEXICO CITY, March 18 (AP).—With singing, dancing, sports festivals and mass meetings, Mexico today celebrated the first anniversary of the Government's expropriation of American and British oil properties valued by their owners at $400,000,000.

SAANICH RATEPAYERS

Ward Four Saanich Ratepayers will hold a meeting on Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in Marigold Hall.

MEN LOVE GIRLS WITH PEP

If you are peppy and full of fun, men will invite you to dances and parties.

BUT if you are cross, listless and tired, men won't be interested. Men don't like "quiet" girls. When they go to parties they want girls along who are full of pep.

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WESTERNS WIN SECOND GAME OF CAGE SERIES

English Fifteen Defeats Scotland In Rugby Fixture

Registers 9-6 Triumph at Murrayfield Ground in Concluding International Match of the Season —70,000 Spectators See Teams In Action —Outcome Leaves Three Teams Tied

EDINBURGH, March 18 (CP).—Triumphant, 9-6, over Scotland in the concluding international Rugby tilt of the season, England shares the championship of the quadrangular tournament with Wales and Ireland. The three teams finished with four points each, Scotland failing to win a game.

Seventy thousand spectators saw the Englishmen win their second straight game at the famous Murrayfield Ground today. As a result they take the Calcutta Cup fought for annually by England and Scotland. Last year Scotland was undefeated in the international series.

Rivals since 1871, England's victory was its twenty-sixth over Scotland, successful in twenty-five encounters. Ten matches ended in stalemates. Last year at Twickenham the Scots won, 21-16.

Playing on a heavy ground Scotland was outplayed throughout, only crossing the railway line a few times in the second half. The English forwards monopolized the ball throughout and even though their backs were unable to beat a stubborn defence, J. Heaton proved a grand kicker. He kicked two penalty goals from thirty-five yards out in the first half and gave England victory with another after the interval.

BEATEN IN SCRUMS

Beaten consistently in the scrums the Scottish backs naturally had few chances but they put up a great defence, G. Roberts, D. J. Macrae and R. W. Shaw being outstanding. It was their ability to capitalize on opportunity that gave Scotland a six-point lead midway through the first half.

First W. Murdoch, substituting for K. C. Fyfe, who was kept out of the lineup through illness, snapped a crosskick and rushed through with E. J. Parsons, English fullback, out of position. The goal kick was disallowed for an infringement. A little later Shaw got through in a raid and this time Murdoch failed with the kick.

The teams:

Scotland—Fullback, G. Roberts (Watsonians); three-quarters, J. R. J. Innes (Aberdeen University), R. W. Shaw (Glasgow High School), D. J. Macrae (St. Andrew's University), W. Murdoch (Hillhead High School); halfbacks, R. B. Bruce-Lockhart (Cambridge University) T. F. Dorward (Gala); forwards, I. C. Henderson and I. N. Graham (Edinburgh Academicals), W. Purdie (Jedforest), G. G. Horsburgh (London Scottish), A. Roy (Waterloo), W. H. Crawford (United Services), D. K. Mackenzie (Edinburgh Wanderers), W. B. Young (King's College Hospital).

England—Fullback, E. J. Parson (Air Force); three-quarters, R. H. Guest and J. Heaton (Waterloo), G. E. Hancock (Birkenhead Park), R. S. Carr (Old Cranleighans); halfbacks, T. A. Kemp (St. Mary's Hospital), J. Ellis (Wakefield); forwards, R. E. Prescott (Harlequins), H. B. Toft (Waterloo), D. E. Teden (Richmond), T. F. Huskisson (Old Merchant Taylors), H. F. Wheatley (Coventry), F. T. Berry (Leicester), R. M. Marshall (Oxford University), J. K. Watkins (Navy).

Local Sport Results At a Glance

FOOTBALL

Victoria West 6, Victoria City 1.

Garrison 7, Esquimalt 2.

Merchants' League

Mount Tolmie 5, Admirals 1.

Young Conservatives 6, Navy 6.

Juvenile League

Esquimalt Meat Market 2, Maple Leafs 1.

BASKETBALL

At Vancouver

Westerns 41, Dominoes 38.

High School Gymnasium

Victoria Y.M.C.A. 30, Chilliwack 24.

Adverts 20, Cumberland 19.

Eight Aces 25, Chinese Students 23.

SHARE LEAD IN SCORING RACE

Lawton and Fenton Head Scorers in English Football —Scottish Unchanged

LONDON, March 18 (CP).—Tommy Lawton, scoring leader in the English Football League earlier in the season, drew level with M. Fenton, Middlesbrough sharpshooter, in today's games. The players were tied with twenty-nine each.

In the Third Division, Southern Section, M. G. MacPhee, of Reading, increased his lead to twenty-four, while R. R. Hunt, of Carlisle, equaled the mark of twenty-six set last week by B. Asquith.

Rangers and Hearts each scored a goal in a rousing battle at Ibrox Park. Alex Venters was held scoreless, but continues to lead Scotland's major league with thirty-two goals. J. Walls leads the Second Division with thirty-nine goals.

Leading scorers follow:

ENGLISH LEAGUE

Division I—T. Lawton, Everton, and M. Fenton, Middlesbrough, 29.

Division II—H. J. Billington, Luton, 22.

Division III (Southern Section)—M. G. MacPhee, Reading, 24.

Division III (Northern Section)—B. Asquith, Barnsley, and R. Hunt, Carlisle, 26.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Division I—A. Venters, Rangers, 32.

Division II—J. Walls, Cowdenbeath, 39.

Retain Junior "B" Football Title

—Photo by Bavannah.

Undeleted during the past two seasons, promising young footballers from Victoria West School retained the junior "B" championship of the Victoria Schools' Athletic Association this year. The boys may well be proud of their record, and their success is a tribute to the coaching ability of Principal H. S. Hurn. In the foreground is the handsome trophy presented by Charles R. Bishop, a former member of the Victoria School Board, in recognition of the fine showing made by the team. Those in the picture are: Back row, left to right: E. Gardner, I. McDonald, J. Sweeney, L. Shandley, B. Adams and H. Bishop. Second row, left to right: A. Denomi, E. Hadder, H. S. Hurn (coach), R. Webster and D. Bishop (captain). Front row, Pete Holding.

CANADIAN CHAMPIONS COME FROM BEHIND AND WHIP DOMINOES

Mainland Hoopsters Turn Back Victoria Cagers, 41-38, in Second Game of British Columbia Play-Downs—Dominoes in Front at Halftime —Third Fixture Here Friday Evening

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the rest of the boys, had his third personal called on him. The call was a mighty tough one and most of the fans thought it should have been the other way around, against Willoughby, but maybe the referees saw from a different angle. Rowe went out of the ball game and was still on the bench when the third session ended. He went back in the game at the final quarter and finished the battle with still three personals.

ROWE ON BENCH

With Rowe on the players' bench, the Westerns turned on a powerful offensive and soon wiped out the big Dominoe advantage, went into the lead and held it for the remainder of the tussle. The Dominoes tried desperately to gain back the lost ground but failed by three points at the final gong. Joe Ross was the only player to go off on four personals and he left the court thirty seconds from time. The referees called a flock of technical fouls on the Dominoes for touching the ball after a basket had been scored on a foul shot. The Victoria club is used to this method of playing, but Referee McCulloch, Seattle, introduced this ruling tonight for the first time.

The three big siege guns of the Westerns' attacks, Art Willoughby, Jimmy Bardsley and Joe Ross, were certainly doing some great sniping from the second period to the finish. Between this trio they garnered thirty-five points, Ross and Bardsley getting an even dozen apiece and Willoughby only one less. Hunk Henderson also turned in a smart game and was in fighting all the way. During the remaining few minutes the Westerns played heads-up ball, holding possession of the leather at every opportunity, stalling for the final gun, a smart bit of strategy on the club's part.

ROSS OPENS SCORING

Joe Ross opened the scoring for Westerns in the first few seconds when fouled by Rowe. He converted one of two shots. Rowe had his second personal called on him not long after and Henderson made no mistake with both from the strip.

Hank Rowe made up for his two fouls and tossed in a beautiful field goal, faking Ross completely out of position of the play. The lanky Victoria forward scored again as the game continued, and Westerns called time out as the Dominoes were setting a terrific pace, with six minutes gone. Ross scored from the foul line and then Bardsley knotted the game when he fired home a long one.

Art Chapman went through fast to find the hoop and was fouled, but missed the awarded throw. The Dominoes started to hit the basket with regularity as the minutes were slipping by. Chuck Chapman, Busher Jackson and Rowe added quick tallies and the score was 13-5. Bardsley got through for one from the side, and with two minutes of the period left, Art Chapman canned another long one from the side. Chuck Chapman increased the lead and Westerns called time out with less than sixty second left. Just before the gong ended the period Jackson hacked Ross and he made two of them good, leaving the score 17-9 as the teams took a rest.

THIRD PERSONAL

Seconds after the second period got under way, Rowe had his third personal whistled against him, but Willoughby missed. Art Chapman widened the gap again when he slapped in the last of Taylor's two foul shots, and it was 19-11. The game continued at a blinding pace and the Dominoes called time out with five minutes left until half-time. Davies had already gone into the game for Rowe and then Mylrea subbed for Davies later.

Westerns rallied again and Willoughby and Beaton crashed through the visiting defence for baskets to make it 19-17. After two quick technical fouls were called against the Dominoes for infraction of the rules, one of which was scored, Art Chapman got in another long one-hander and it was now 22-18 for the invading club. Dominoes called time out again two minutes from the half when it was getting "hot" for them. The period finally finished, 24-21.

The teams battled on even terms for the first three minutes of the third period, neither club scoring a point during that time. Bardsley added a foul and Willoughby converted another technical against the Dominoes to make it 24-22 and then Bardsley sent the Canadian champions into the lead for the first time with six minutes left, when he got in a basket and a foul.

As the game resumed a double foul was whistled against Jackson and Gordon for roughing it up. Both of them missed from the line. Ross sped right in under the basket to score but Taylor closed the gap again by sinking two fouls. With only twenty seconds to go in the period, Taylor and Willoughby missed awarded throws but Joe Ross [illegible] the Westerns a two-point margin by tossing in one of two from the strip and the canto ended, 28-26, for the Vancouver squad.

WESTERNS LEADING

Hank Rowe came back into the game as the final session started. Bardsley made it thirty for his team and came out of a pile of players under the hoop for another field goal. Ross added another foul and Rowe got in two of them for the Dominoes and it was 31-30. With six minutes still to go the Westerns were leading, 35-32, and two minutes later Willoughby added another basket. The Dominoes were trying hard to overcome the Westerns' lead as time was fleeing fast, but their efforts were in vain, for when they scored the champions would also bang one in from the floor or the foul line. It was a great battle in the dying seconds with Westerns holding the ball for time and the visitors fighting hard to gain possession.

BOX SCORE

Dominoes—	F.G.	F.T.	F.M.	P.	Pts.
Jackson (g)	2	4	1	3	8
A. Chapman (c)	6	1	1	3	13
C. Chapman (g)	2	0	0	1	4
Taylor (f)	0	2	2	1	2
Rowe (f)	4	3	2	3	11
Davies (f)	0	0	0	2	0
Patterson (f)	0	0	0	0	0
Mylrea (f)	0	0	0	0	0
Mylrea (f)	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	14	10	6	13	38
Westerns—					
Ross (c)	2	6	1	4	12
Bardsley (f)	3	5	2	1	11
Willoughby (f)	6	0	2	0	12
Henderson (g)	0	2	1	0	2
Gordon (f)	1	0	1	3	2
Beaton (f)	1	0	0	3	2
Wright (g)	0	0	0	0	0
Ritchie (f)	0	0	0	0	0
Watson (f)	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	14	13	7	11	41

Referees: Tim McCulloch (Seattle) and Ralph Thomas (Vancouver).

POWELL RIVER LOSES MATCH

Drops 3-2 Decision to St. Andrews in Province Cup Football Series

VANCOUVER, March 18 (CP).—Powell River's soccer squad was eliminated from the British Columbia championship race today, dropping a 3-2 first-round decision to St. Andrews, Mainland League team.

Axel Larsen, centre-forward, scored both Powell River's goals. His first counter opened the scoring eight minutes from the start of the game when he headed the ball into the net from a short distance in front of the St. Andrews goalie.

Don Matheson, St. Andrews inside right, tied the score twenty minutes later, and five minutes before half time Bill Hyslop put the Vancouver squad ahead, scoring on a long shot that went over Gardiner's head into the Powell River net.

Larsen evened the count again twenty minutes after play resumed in the second half, heading the ball in on a double assist from Alec Louie and Pete Gallagher.

Johnny Craig scored St. Andrews' winning point twelve minutes from time, heading in George Greig's corner. Gardiner went out in an attempt to clear but the ball went over his head.

Midway through the second half, Geoffrey Gloag, St. Andrews' goalie, left the game with a leg injury suffered in the first period.

Powell River pressed during the dying minutes of the game and Archie McPhee missed a good chance to score a minute before time when he passed to Louie instead of shooting into the open net.

BOWLERS FINISH LEAGUE SCHEDULE

A.O.F. Sherwood Are Byng Shield Winners—Important Meeting Tuesday Evening

The schedule of matches in the Capital City and District League was completed this week with the Willows Ramblers defeating Willows Celtic, 17-15, and the Willows Shamrocks defeating the Willows Ramblers, 25-15.

The A.O.F. Sherwood, fo the Foresters' Club, with 23 points, won the Byng Shield by the narrow margin of one point, Willows Rangers placing second with 22 points.

A meeting of the league will be held at the Foresters' Hall on Tuesday at 8 o'clock, when arrangements will be made for the holding of the annual tournament.

The final standing of the teams is as follows:

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pt.
A.O.F. Sherwood	16	11	4	1	23
Willows Rangers	16	10	4	2	22
Willows Celtic	16	10	5	1	21
A.O.F. Robin Hood	16	9	6	1	19
Esquimalt	16	8	5	2	18
Willows Ramblers	16	8	6	2	18
Willows Shamrocks	16	6	9	1	13
K. of P. No. 1	16	2	14	0	4
K. of P. No. 2	16	2	14	0	4

Wests and Garrison Register One-Sided Football Victories

Greenshirts Trounce Victoria City, 6-1, at Royal Athletic Park—Worswick Stars as Army Hands Esquimalt 7-2 Shellacking at Bullen Park

Victoria West and Garrison registered one-sided victories in yesterday's Victoria and District Football League matches. Greenshirts snowed Victoria City under a 6-1 defeat at Royal Athletic Park, and the Tommies from Work Point trounced Esquimalt, 7-2, at Bullen Park.

Garrison trained its big guns on Esquimalt, and manoeuvred on the overgrown pitch like a championship squad and worked their way through the defence at will.

Jimmy Worswick, spearhead of the soldiers' attack, accounted for five of his team's tallies, while Shone, clever right winger, banged two past Laird, in the Esquimalt net, as well as assisting with some of the other goals.

Esquimalt was definitely a tired team as the second half got under way, and had great difficulty in controlling the greasy ball on the slippery grass. About the last five minutes of the final frame the dockers looked revived and fired them at the Tommies' netminder, Caldwell, from all angles. The goalie worked like a Trojan, however, and turned back the serious threats in fine style.

WORSWICK SCORES

Worswick started the Garrison on its victory march in the first half when he sagged the Esquimalt net to beat Laird. "Scotty" Stewart kept Esquimalt in the running by converting at the other end, but Shone soon put the winners in front once again before the half ended.

Both squads battled on fairly even terms until ten minutes after the resumption of play, when the Tommies' centre forward took a pass from Henry to make the score 3-1. Shone made it 4-1, while Barnswell, missed from right in front of the Garrison net at the other end of the field.

Laird handled a hot one from Shone, but Worswick charged in to put the leather away. Stewart took Payne's rebound that almost lifted the crossbar off the goal and picked a corner, making it 5-2. Two minutes later, however, with the entire Esquimalt team playing up, Worswick broke away from Joe Watt, fullback, and scored handily. Ten minutes later the Army star hung up the final marker at 7-2.

Robb handled the whistle.

Teams follow:

Garrison — Caldwell, Wilkinson, Watt, Kennedy, Thompson, Thorburn, Shone, Henry, Worswick, Edwards and Cook.

Esquimalt — Laird, Moody, Joe Watt, Holt, Halkett, Barnswell, Bell, Stewart, John Watt, Jim Stewart and Payne.

PAYING HIS WAY

"Can I have some stationery?" asked the Scot, staying in a large London hotel.

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Two Pendray Cup Games Are Carded For Local Squads

WEDNESDAY Football League teams will continue their Pendray Cup race this week with two matches carded. Navy and Hudson's Bay, joint occupants of second berth, will meet at Royal Athletic Park in the feature match on the midweek programme, while the leading Spencers eleven will oppose Victoria City at Beacon Hill Park. Obee will referee at the enclosure, and Cull will officiate at Beacon Hill. Kick-offs are set for 2:30 o'clock.

Badminton Finals At Victoria Club

Finals in the Willows Badminton Club annual handicap tournament were played recently and resulted as follows:

WOMEN'S SINGLES

Mrs. Pritchard won from Miss V. Pearson, 15-8, 15-9.

MEN'S SINGLES

G. Gray won from F. Boughey, 15-10, 15-2.

WOMEN'S DOUBLES

Mrs. Foote and Miss Gilmour won from Mrs. Pritchard and Miss N. Rice-Jones, 15-12, 12-15, 15-13.

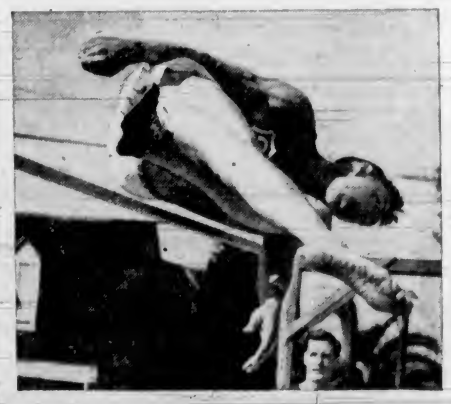
MEN'S DOUBLES

H. Francis and J. Bethel won from D. Fish and P. McQuade, 15-13, 10-15, 15-12.

MIXED DOUBLES

Miss Styan and D. Fish won from Miss V. Pearson and E. Grant, 8-15, 15-8, 15-12.

Jumps Minus One Shoe



JOHNNY WILSON.

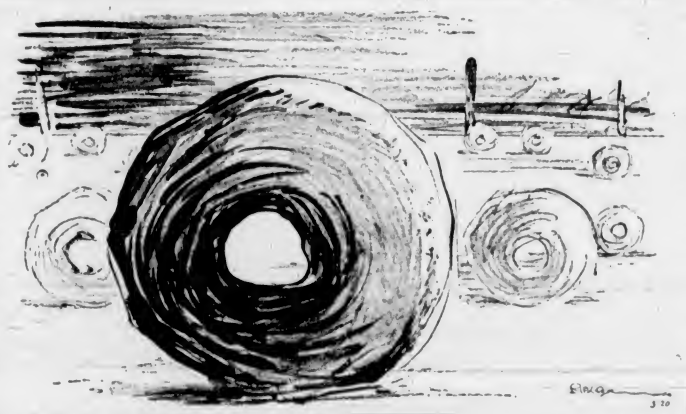
University of California's new high jump king, clears the bar at Los Angeles wearing but one shoe. Wilson wears spiked shoes up to 6 ft. 3 in., but above that removes the right one to lessen the weight on the lead-off foot. He is a leading hope for the United States and Olympic championships.

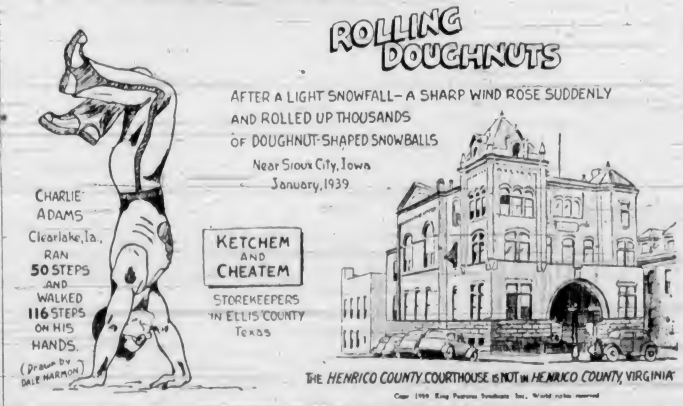
ROYAL DANIELI WINS STEEPLECHASE EVENT

BALDOYLE, Ireland, March 18 (AP).—Royal Danieli, H. C. McNally's highly-regarded candidate for the Grand National Steeplechase, concluded his training for the race at Aintree next Friday by winning the two and one-quarter-mile Feltrim Steeplechase.

Second to Battleship last year, Royal Danieli beat D. Ballesty's Fly Rath by three lengths. The winner will be shipped immediately to Aintree.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT . . . . . By Ripley





EXPLANATION FOR YESTERDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON

1,700-Year-Old Wine—This oldest bottle of liquid wine was found in a 1,700-year-old Roman stone coffin near Speyer, Germany. A chemical analysis disclosed the presence of the usual wine sediment. In the top encrustation, traces of wax and olive oil were found, indicating that the wine was originally protected with olive oil. The wine was apparently of local origin of a very sour type sweetened with honey.

The Brunswick Springs—As a natural curiosity the Brunswick Springs, near Bloomfield, Vermont, are unique in that side by side, six springs of different mineral composition spring from the soil. The different mineral substances are arsenic, bromide, sulphur, magnesia, calcium and iron. Mineral springs obtain their chemical substances from the rocks through which they flow. The occurrence in the geological formation of six different minerals in a row is very remarkable.

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ISLAND SQUASH CHAMPIONS TO BE NAMED TODAY

Seattle Stars to Oppose Locals in Semi-Final Round

Two Sound City Players and Three Victorians Remain in Running for Singles Championship—Good Matches Witnessed in First and Second Rounds of Tourney—Final at 3 o'Clock

International competition in the semi-finals of the Vancouver Island open squash championship tournament was assured last night when two Seattle players accompanied three local stars into the select brackets. T. Clarke and H. Little from the Sound City, gained the semi-final round along with F. P. Pease, Victoria. The fourth member will be named following today's third round match between D. Hincks, Brentwood, and R. Doull, Victoria.

Attracting the cream of players from Seattle and Vancouver Island, and the entry of J. Featherstone, here on a visit from London, England, the tournament opened yesterday on the court of the Sussex Squash Club.

Play was confined to first and second round matches with local players sharing the victories with visiting performers. Some excellent matches were seen, and in some instances five games were needed before the winner was named.

The tournament, a two-day affair, will conclude today. Flight and second round matches will precede the semi-finals and finals.

THE RESULTS

Results follow:

First Round

Commander J. C. I. Edwards (Victoria) defeated W. Jones (Seattle), 15-6, 15-12, 15-14.

J. Webber (Seattle) defeated E. McCallum (Victoria), 15-7, 15-3, 8-15, 15-7.

F. P. Pease (Victoria) defeated W. H. Dunbar (Victoria), 15-6, 11-15, 15-5, 15-10.

D. Hincks (Brentwood) defeated J. Featherstone (London), 15-9, 15-9, 15-10.

R. Doull (Victoria) defeated P. Bradford (Victoria), 18-13, 11-15, 18-14, 12-15, 15-13.

H. Clarke (Victoria) defeated R. Fort (Victoria), 15-10, 15-11, 15-8.

H. S. Little (Seattle) won from S. P. Birley (Victoria), by default.

Second Round

T. Clarke defeated Com. J. C. I. Edwards, 10-15, 15-6, 15-5, 15-8.

F. P. Pease defeated J. Webber, 13-18, 15-10, 12-15, 15-11, 15-11.

H. S. Little defeated M. Clarke, 15-8, 15-8, 15-7.

TODAY'S DRAW

Today's draw follows:

11:15—D. Hincks vs. R. Doull; W. H. Dunbar vs. J. Featherstone.

1:00—E. McCallum vs. P. Bradford.

1:15—W. Jones vs. R. Fort.

2:00—Semi-final: T. Clarke (Seattle) vs. F. P. Pease (Victoria); H. Little (Seattle) vs. winner of D. Hincks vs. R. Doull.

3:00—Final men's singles.

3:00—Winner of W. Dunbar vs. J. Featherstone plays S. P. Birley.

4:00—Final consolation singles.

Club officials announced last night that entries for the club tournament will close at 5 o'clock tomorrow.

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WEEKLY SHOOT

The Rainbow Rifle Club held its weekly shoot on Saturday, results out of a possible 100 being as follows:

"A" Class—W. Acland, 99; N. Anderson, 99; R. Ferguson, 99; D. Filewood, 97; P. Mackenzie, 96; Miss S. Jones, 93; Miss B. Stonham, 95.

"B" Class—W. Pollard, 97; A. Carter, 95; Miss G. McAnerin, 95; Miss M. Acland, 94; Mrs. M. Bates, 90.

"C" Class—J. Gwilt, 94; Christenson, 89; J. King, 80.

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TANFORAN RACING

TANFORAN, March 18.—Results here today follow:

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs: Prince Heather (Millman) 16.80 13.80 12.20; Lysander (Adams) 4.00 3.60; Shasta Buddy (Varner) 5.40. Time, 1:13. Also ran: Veracidad, Doublefol, Neso Ele, Shasta Fita, Sky Shoot, El Portal.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs: Bon Fly (Scheih) 142.40 112.60 16.40; The Plower (Adams) 3.80 3.00; Bunch Boy (Westrope) 4.60. Time, 1:12 2-5. Also ran: Suspension, Sporting Green, High Ace, Border Ruffian, Merced, Kent.

THIRD RACE—Mile and one sixteenth: English Harry (Napier) 19.00 18.40 8.00; Holster (J. Robertson) 22.00 12.80; Closing Time (Dye) 9.20. Time, 1:47 2-5. Also ran: Kins Kong, Herondas, Suddenly Jacinnit, Jarco, Crafty Fox, Ruth Jellick, San Ramon.

FOURTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth: Transbird (Leishman) $119.40 $28.20 $17.40; Silver Kiss (Neves) 8.00 6.00; The Bismarck (Moran) 5.60. Time, 1:47. Also ran: Cleos Pride, Kings Folly, Royal Rover, Rase Leaf, Diarissa, Mary Allen, Pompous Genie, Glittering, Swift Gal.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs: Buffern (Neves) 115.40 38.00 14.20; Cross Plan (Bailey) 5.40 4.60; Commendable (Vantassel) 5.80. Time, 1:12. Also ran: Bacinjor, Dinner, Aces Wild, Hilsinger, Polaris, Pack of Spades, Bartolozzi.

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs: Boss Martin (Choinacki) 122.00 18.40 8.40; Broken Jade (Corbett) 5.00 3.80; Ariel Cross (Neves) 3.40. Time, 1:11 2-5. Also ran: Jubal Junior, First Finish, Townsman, Orientalist.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-quarter: Don Grafton (Dye) $20.60 $11.20 $8.80; Porlerza (Choinacki) 4.60 4.00; Shortbread (Reynolds) 4.40. Time, 2:06 2-5. Also ran: Recognize, Marpal, Emmrac, Flashing Colors, Enlo.

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth: Anopheles (Permin) $11.00 $6.80 $5.00; Sir Gay (Neves) 6.80 5.00; Sir Ridgway (Adams) 3.80. Time, 1:45 3-5. Also ran: Auman, Come to Taw, Wise Will, Count Dean, Wegoway, Onus.

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Jockey Unhurt Despite Bad Tumble

Neither the jockey, L. E. Stoddard (on ground) nor his fallen mount, Milano, were hurt in this spill during the running of the Sassoon Memorial Handicap Steeplechase at Hurst Park, England. The entire field of seventeen horses thundered past the rider and horse on the ground. Stoddard is to ride Milano in the Grand National at Aintree.

Present Standing of Clubs in Old Country Soccer

LONDON, March 18 (CP).—Standings in the English and Scottish Football Leagues, including today's games, follow:

ENGLISH LEAGUE

First Division

	P	W	L	D	F	A	P
Everton	33	22	8	2	71	43	47
Wolverhampton W.	33	16	7	9	72	36	44
Derby County	34	17	10	7	58	44	41
Middlesbrough	34	15	11	6	71	58	38
Aston Villa	33	15	11	7	82	44	37
Charlton Athletic	32	16	12	5	59	50	37
Bolton Wanderers	32	12	10	11	57	47	35
Arsenal	33	12	11	9	42	23	35
Stoke City	34	13	12	9	57	59	35
Grimsby Town	33	12	12	9	47	57	33
Liverpool	34	11	12	11	52	56	33
Preston North End	32	11	11	10	47	46	32
Sunderland	33	12	13	8	45	52	22
Leeds United	32	12	12	7	50	57	21
Brentford	32	12	14	7	46	60	21
Manchester United	31	9	12	12	48	50	20
Blackpool	32	8	13	12	41	57	28
Portsmouth	33	6	13	12	35	54	28
Chelsea	32	10	18	6	56	84	26
Huddersfield Town	32	10	17	6	45	51	26
Leicester City	34	6	18	10	37	63	26
Birmingham	33	9	19	5	52	73	23

Second Division

	P	W	L	D	F	A	P
Blackburn Rovers	34	21	10	3	81	50	45
Newcastle United	34	17	11	7	54	38	41
Sheffield Wednesday	31	17	9	5	71	47	39
Sheffield United	33	14	8	11	49	27	39
West Bromwich Albion	33	18	11	6	81	61	38
Coventry City	32	18	10	6	49	38	38
Luton Town	33	17	12	4	84	52	38
Fulham	32	14	9	9	50	29	37
Chesterfield	32	15	10	7	51	41	37
Tottenham Hotspurs	33	14	10	9	52	48	37
Burnley	35	13	13	9	41	45	35
Manchester City	32	15	13	4	78	67	34
Millwall	33	11	11	11	56	43	33
West Ham United	32	12	13	7	60	46	31
Plymouth Argyle	32	12	14	6	42	45	28
Burry	34	10	14	10	53	60	30
Bradford	34	10	14	10	52	66	30
Southampton	33	10	15	8	44	59	28
Swansea Town	32	8	14	10	41	52	26
Norwich	32	10	20	2	29	79	22
Notts Forest	33	6	18	9	39	75	21
Tranmere Rovers	34	5	24	5	35	85	15

Third Division—Southern Section

	P	W	L	D	F	A	P
Newport County	34	20	7	7	53	26	47
Brighton and Hove A.	33	15	10	8	57	39	38
Crystal Palace	32	15	9	8	55	44	38
Reading	34	12	9	12	60	47	38
Queen's Park Rangers	32	14	9	9	63	41	37
Watford	33	15	11	7	52	40	37
Bristol City	32	14	11	8	50	47	36
Notts County	31	14	10	7	46	36	35
Swindon Town	32	14	11	7	62	53	35
Aldershot	32	12	10	10	38	47	34
Northampton	33	14	14	5	49	49	33
Cardiff City	32	12	12	8	46	48	32
Torquay United	32	11	13	8	44	52	30
Exeter City	32	10	13	9	54	70	29
Mansfield Town	33	10	14	9	38	56	29
Southend United	29	11	12	6	47	51	28
Bournemouth	32	9	13	10	38	50	28
Ipswich Town	30	9	12	9	38	42	27
Port Vale	32	10	15	7	41	47	27
Clapton Orient	31	8	15	8	36	42	24
Bristol Rovers	32	7	15	10	27	43	24
Walsall	32	6	16	8	39	56	20

Third Division—Northern Section

	P	W	L	D	F	A	P
Barnsley	34	20	4	5	79	28	55
Doncaster Rovers	35	15	8	12	60	40	42
Southport	31	15	6	10	62	27	40
Bradford City	33	17	10	6	88	43	40
Oldham Athletic	33	17	12	4	68	49	38
Crewe Alexandra	33	17	13	3	73	52	37
Hull City	33	15	11	7	72	59	37
Chester	33	14	10	8	71	56	36
Rotherham	34	14	13	7	58	52	35
Stockport County	31	13	11	7	72	47	33
Halifax Town	33	10	10	13	37	47	33
New Brighton	34	13	14	7	55	55	33
Barrow	34	12	15	6	51	57	30
Wrexham	34	12	13	8	52	70	32
Rochdale	34	11	15	8	72	86	30
Lincoln City	33	11	14	9	59	69	30
Gateshead	33	10	13	9	58	56	29
Carlisle	33	12	16	5	55	66	29
Darlington	34	10	16	8	53	70	28
York City	32	9	18	7	45	66	25
Hartlepool	34	10	20	4	49	84	24
Accrington Stanley	34	4	28	5	38	85	12

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

First Division

	P	W	L	D	F	A	P
Rangers	33	23	2	7	108	49	53
Celtic	32	17	6	7	90	48	41
Aberdeen	33	17	10	6	80	54	40
Queen of South	34	18	10	6	62	58	40
Hearts	33	17	11	5	90	81	39
Falkirk	33	16	10	7	84	56	39
St. Johnstone	34	18	13	3	78	77	39
Hamilton Acads	34	18	13	3	58	64	39
Motherwell	33	15	13	5	74	74	35
Kilmarnock	33	12	11	9	64	71	33
Partick Thistle	33	14	15	4	84	75	32
Clyde	32	14	15	3	66	64	31
Hibernians	33	12	15	6	65	62	30
Ayr United	32	11	14	8	67	74	30
Third Lanark	32	10	15	7	70	80	27
St. Mirren	32	9	18	6	50	73	24
Arbroath	34	8	18	8	45	72	24
Queen's Park	32	9	18	5	50	75	23
Albion Rovers	32	9	19	5	56	66	23
Raith Rovers	33	9	22	2	59	67	20

Second Division

	P	W	L	D	F	A	P
Cowdenbeath	29	24	2	2	100	39	51
Alloa	30	20	7	3	85	39	43
Airdrieonians	29	19	6	5	76	49	43
East Fife	29	19	6	5	87	52	43
Dunfermline	28	14	9	5	59	62	33
Dundee	30	14	12	4	85	55	32
St. Bernards	29	13	12	4	71	72	30
Dundee United	29	13	13	3	59	55	29
Stenhousemuir	30	12	12	5	61	64	29
Morton	29	10	12	6	62	71	26
Dumbarton	29	6	11	10	56	66	26
Brechin City	29	9	12	6	70	92	26
King's Park	28	10	14	1	71	68	21
Montrose	30	6	18	4	67	83	20
East Stirling	29	7	18	4	73	112	18
Leith Athletic	28	7	18	2	43	74	17
Edinburgh City	28	5	19	4	50	100	14

BELFAST CITY CUP

	P	W	L	D	F	A	P
Portadown	8	6	0	0	24	4	12
Belfast Celtic	6	3	1	2	16	9	8
Ballymena	5	4	1	0	11	6	8
Glenavon	6	2	1	2	12	6	8
Linfield	6	4	2	0	20	17	8
Derry City	6	3	2	1	21	11	7
Distillery	6	2	3	1	14	14	7
Glentoran	5	2	2	1	15	7	5
Bangor	5	2	2	1	9	6	5
Newry Town	6	2	3	1	11	15	5
Larne	6	1	3	2	10	13	4
Coleraine	6	1	5	0	9	23	2
Ards	6	0	5	1	7	22	1
Cliftonville	5	0	5	0	1	17	0

TODD CUP GOLF DRAW ANNOUNCED

Draw for the Mrs. C. F. Todd Handicap Cup tournament for members of the Victoria Golf Club was announced yesterday by club officials. The first round must be completed by March 25, and the second round by April 8.

Draw follows:

First Round—Mrs. Hadley vs. Miss Shandley; Mrs. Morkill vs. Mrs. Philbrick; Mrs. Bowden vs. Miss C. Macdowall; Mrs. Pangman vs. Mrs. A. Gillespie; Mrs. E. D. Todd vs. Mrs. Brough; Mrs. Musgrave vs. Mrs. Tomalin, Mrs. E. P. Gillespie vs. Mrs. A. Watson; Mrs. T. Macdonald vs. Mrs. Sheffield; Mrs. Edwards vs. Mrs. Nickson; Miss Carey vs. Mrs. Scott.

Second Round—Miss M. Macdowall vs. Mrs. A. K. Mitchell; Mrs. Gamble vs. Miss G. Irving; Miss N. Wilson vs. Mrs. Howell; Miss M. Todd vs. Mrs. Laurie; Mrs. Birley vs. Mrs. J. H. Wilson; Mrs. Howard vs. Miss R. Jones, Mrs. Combe vs. Mrs. Ellis; Mrs. W. Pemberton vs. Mrs. Stubbs; Mrs. G. E. Wilson vs. Mrs. McIlirée; Mrs. Paterson vs. Miss Benson; Miss M. Campbell vs. Miss Pitts.

The bronze division championship will be held March 27 to 31, both dates inclusive. All players wishing to compete are asked to telephone E1518 before Thursday.

Medal winners for March follow: "A" class, Mrs. Sheffield, 93-14—79; "B" class, Mrs. E. D. Todd, 96-19—77.

CAIRN TERRIER BEST IN SHOW

Mrs. L. M. Wood's Mars of Melita Takes Premier Honors at Garden

Mrs. L. M. Wood's cairn terrier, Mars of Melita, was judged best in show at the Vancouver Island Dog Fanciers' Association parlor show in the Crystal Garden, last evening. Seventy-five dogs were benched in the exhibition which was judged by C. W. Butler, Vancouver.

Mrs. Wood's terrier also won the best terrier in show class, and was judged best puppy in show. J. H. Meldram's Da Pyjamas La Nuitblanch captured the best non-sporting class and best novice in show. Best sporting and best bitch and two of her progeny was taken by Mrs. C. Bloomfield's Bloomfield's Fidget and puppies. A. Olsen's Tootsie was named best sporting hound in show and best Canadian bred.

Miss Horath entered the best toy in show, Prince Toto, and the best brace of pugs. Best stud and two of his get was awarded to Heatherbell Robin Adair and puppies, owned by Miss H. Harfield. Morley Sutton's Pat took top honors for being the smallest dog in show.

MARVIN STAHL AND HARBERT REACH FINAL

Defeat Ralph Guldahl and Morton Bright in Pro-Amateur Tourney

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., March 18 (AP).—Marvin Stahl and Chick Harbert knocked off another favorite today and barged into the finals of the national amateur-professional best ball golf tournament.

The Lansing, Mich., pro and Battle Creek, Mich., amateur—the tournament's surprise team—took the last big stride by whipping Ralph Guldahl, the national open champion, and Morton Bright, of Daytona Beach, Fla., 2 and 1.

The other finalists, Denny Shute, of West Newton, Mass., and Bill Stark, of Jacksonville, had a bigger margin of safety. They scored 4 and 3 over Jack Grout, of Hershey, Pa., and Maynard Mamsey, of Tampa, Fla.

Tomorrow's final, like the matches today, is over the thirty-six-hole distance. A $1,000 cheque awaits the professional member of the winning team and the losing money player can get a lot of consolation out of a $500 prize. Guldahl and Grout collected $200 each.

Since they won the medal Wednesday with a seventeen under par 127 for thirty-six holes, Stahl and Harbert have advanced steadily at the expense of favored opponents.

FORTY-FOOT PUTT

Stahl ran down a forty-foot putt on the thirty-fourth hole to put the crusher on the losers. He and Harbert teamed well, one usually managing a birdie or par when the other had a lapse.

Harbert's best contribution was a pair of birdies on the sixth and seventh holes, both for wins. He dropped a ten-foot putt on the sixth and chipped within a foot of the pin on the seventh.

Blowing hot and cold, Guldahl evened the match on the twenty-third after he and Bright went to lunch, two down. They both three-putted the twenty-fourth, however, and never again could catch Stahl and Harbert.

Shute had plenty of help from his husky amateur partner, who chipped in from forty feet for an eagle three on the twenty-sixth.

Ramsey came to the aid of Grout, also, particularly when he erased the two-down morning round deficit by winning the twenty-first and twenty-second holes with birdies. He sank a twenty-five-footer on the twenty-first and an eight-footer on the twenty-second.

U.B.C. CREW NAMED TO OPPOSE HUSKIES

VANCOUVER, March 18 (CP).—A crew of eight University of British Columbia oarsmen was named today to meet University of Washington's eight-oared lightweight crew on Coal Harbor next Saturday.

The University of British Columbia boat will ship Bob Pearce at stroke; Bob Hayman, seven; Charles Nash, six; Lloyd Wilson, five; Doug Patrick, four; Bob McIntyre, three; Bill Lynott, two, and Eric Flescher, bow.

The race will be held over the Henley distance of one mile 550 yards.

Duck — What made you run so fast?

Turk—I'd rather have them say: "Can't he run fast?" than "Don't he taste good?"

Hearts Battle to Tie With Rangers; Celtic Beaten, 2-1

Famous Glasgow Eleven Splits Points on Home Ground—Falkirk Eked Out One-Goal Victory Over Second-Place Club—Rangers Need One Point to Take League Honors

GLASGOW, March 18 (CP).—Glasgow Rangers' championship pennant was moved another notch up the pole today as the famous light blues were virtually "counted in" for their twenty-fourth Scottish Football League Trophy. They need only one more point in their remaining five games to put the question beyond mathematical doubt.

Rangers practically clinched honors a month ago and interest has switched to the other end of the championship table, where five gallant clubs are staging great fights to stay in the First Division next year. It is still an uncertainty as to which two teams will be "shunted" into the minor league.

The full ten-game card was played out today with a sprinkling of upsets resulting. Falkirk journeyed to Celtic's stronghold and whipped the second-placers, 2-1; Ayr United overpowered Motherwell by a 6-1 score, and Hearts, performing at Ibrox Park, held the favored Rangers to a 1-1 deadlock. Arbroath played heads-up football to gain a point in its 1-1 draw at Edinburgh against Hibernians.

SECOND DIVISION

The Second Division—a league where anything can happen—is providing supporters with one of the hottest second-place duels in years. Cowdenbeath leads the pack with eight points to spare, while Alloa, Airdrieonians and East Fife are deadlocked in the No. 2 spot with 43 points each. Cowdenbeath defeated St. Bernards, 3-1, and Alloa lost valuable ground, losing 3-1 to Edinburgh City.

Airdrieonians shut out Forfar Athletic, 4-0, and East Fife, only Second Division team to hold the cup, edged out East Stirling.

Rough play marred an otherwise dashing affair between Celtic and Falkirk. With the second position at stake, the two clubs played hard football throughout the ninety minutes. After Dawson, of the visitors, scored the only goal of the first half, tempers flared and Morrison, Celt left back, was ordered off the field when he objected too strenuously against the referee's ruling. It was the first time this year a First Division player was sent off the field. Murphy scored Celtic's goal.

Smith put Rangers into an early lead over Hearts, and the visitors scored the well-deserved equalizer midway through the second half.

Ayr United clinched its game with Motherwell in the first period when the United scored a 6-1 advantage. Ayr's scorers were McKenzie (3), Hope and Craig (2). Motherwell's lone goal was scored by Mathie.

ROVERS GO UNDER

Raith Rovers, in last position with 20 points, lost 2-0 at home to Clyde. Taylor counted once in each half. Albion Rovers, one point in arrears along with Queen's Park, held Queen of South to a 3-3 stalemate, while the amateurs lost 2-1 to Aberdeen.

Hamilton Academicals climbed into eighth place with a 3-1 victory over Kilmarnock; St. Johnstone made it 3-1 over Third Lanark, and Partick Thistle had little difficulty with St. Mirren, winning 4-1.

FIRST DIVISION

Aberdeen 2, Queen's Park 1.
Ayr United 6, Motherwell 1.
Celtic 1, Falkirk 2.
Hamilton Academicals 3, Kilmarnock 1.
Hibernians 1, Abroath 1.
Queen of South 3, Albion Rovers 3.
Raith Rovers 0, Clyde 2.
Rangers 1, Hearts 1.
St. Mirren 1, Partick Thistle 4.
Third Lanark 1, St. Johnstone 3.

SECOND DIVISION

Airdrieonians 4, Forfar Athletic 0.
Cowdenbeath 3, St. Bernards 1.
Dundee 2, Dundee United 0.
East Stirling 2, East Fife 3.
Edinburgh City 3, Alloa 1.
Leith Athletic 2, Dunfermline Athletic 3.
Montrose 1, King's Park 0.
Morton 2, Dumbarton 1.
Stenhousemuir 7, Brechin City 2.

NEW SWIMMING CLASS

With a view to encouraging younger swimmers, Coach Frank Hyslop, of the Pacific Swimming Club, last night announced the inauguration of a juvenile class for boys and girls between the ages of nine and thirteen years. The instruction period will be each Thursday evening, from 7 o'clock to 8 o'clock, at the Crystal Garden. Children wishing to join the class are asked to leave their names at the Crystal Garden box office.

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Brushing Up for the Opening Game

As the White Sox Opened Their Spring Training at Pasadena, Cal., This Bit of Snappy Action Was Recorded by the Camera. Jimmy Dykes, Manager of the Chicago Team, Is Shown "Dodging Spikes" at Chick Ferries Slides Into the "Hot Spot."

LEADING CLUBS VICTORIOUS IN ENGLISH FOOTBALL

Everton Triumphs Over Birmingham And Retains Lead

First Division Pace-Setters Score 4-2 Victory at Goodison Park—Wolverhampton Wanderers Whip Manchester United, 3-0—Leaders in Other Divisions Pick Up Points

LONDON, March 18 (CP). — Only one point was surrendered in today's games by pace-making clubs in the four divisions of the English Football League. Held to a 2-2 draw by Bournemouth, Newport County, in the Third Division Southern Section, was forced to divide the spoils, but retained a nine-point advantage over its nearest rival.

Everton smashed Birmingham, 4-2, at Goodison Park to hold a three-point margin over the hard-driving Wolverhampton Wanderers, while Blackburn Rovers stretched their lead in the Second Division to four points by defeating Notts Forest, 3-2. In the northern circuit of the Third Division Barnsley has practically clinched the championships. The Yorkshiremen scored the only goal of the match at Darlington to increase their lead over Doncaster Rovers to thirteen points.

YOUNGSTERS LOOK GOOD

In these days of high-priced players, spectators enthuse over youngsters who make good in first appearances with top-notch teams. Against Manchester United yesterday Wolverhampton had Mullen and Steen, two sixteen-year-old wingers, and Goddard, eighteen-year-old left half, in the team that won, 3-0.

The trio played with veteran-like assurance and Manager Frank Buckley hailed the experiment as an outstanding success. Steen scored the third goal.

Derby County trotted out a revamped team against Charlton Athletic, and Stamps, making his debut in the first eleven, scored two goals in the Midlanders' 4-1 victory.

Spring, another newcomer, notched the match-winning goal for Bristol City against Southend United.

Hitting back after Birmingham had taken the lead early in the first half, Everton scored two goals in two minutes and thereafter won in a canter. Blackpool's star-studded team was held to a scoreless draw by Bolton Wanderers in a gruelling mud-field contest.

LOSE HOME GAMES

Huddersfield and Portsmouth, both in the relegation zone, lost home games to Middlesbrough and Leicester City. Only one goal was scored in each match, Camsell tallying for Middlesbrough and Dewis for the City.

Blackburn Rovers gained valuable points in the Second Division promotion race, fighting back on a rain-soaked ground after conceding a goal to Notts Forest in the fifth minute of play.

Despite the inclusion of Ted Sandford, the international transferred from West Bromwich Albion in mid-week, Sheffield United lost, 1-0, at Chesterfield. Luke scored the goal that meant the United's third successive defeat.

Steele was responsible for the only goal of the Barnsley-Darlington encounter. He scored in the fourth minute and for the remainder of the match Barnsley put up an air-tight defence. Newport was a trifle lucky to draw with Bournemouth. The seasiders proved the more effective side but lacked the punch to put over the winning counter.

Results follow:

FIRST DIVISION

Arsenal 2, Liverpool 0.
Aston Villa 3, Stoke City 0.
Blackpool 0, Bolton Wanderers 0.
Brentford 0, Leeds United 1.
Derby County 3, Charlton Athletic 1.
Everton 4, Birmingham 2.
Grimsby Town 1, Preston North End 1.
Huddersfield Town 0, Middlesbrough 1.
Portsmouth 0, Leicester City 1.
Sunderland 3, Chelsea 2.
Wolverhampton Wanderers 3, Manchester United 0.

SECOND DIVISION

Blackburn Rovers 3, Notts Forest 2.
Bradford 0, Tottenham Hotspurs 0.
Bury 2, Norwich City 3.
Chesterfield 1, Sheffield United 0.
Fulham 1, Newcastle United 1.
Manchester City 2, Southampton 1.
Millwall 0, Coventry City 0.
Sheffield Wednesday 2, West Bromwich Albion 1.
Swansea Town 4, Burnley 0.
Tranmere Rovers 2, Plymouth Argyle 0.
West Ham United 0, Luton Town 1.

THIRD DIVISION

Southern Section

Aldershot 2, Queen's Park Rangers 0.
Bristol City 1, Southend United 0.
Clapton Orient 2, Brighton and Hove Albion 0.
Crystal Palace 3, Exeter City 2.
Newport County 2, Bournemouth 2.
Northampton Town 4, Walsall 1.
Notts County 1, Mansfield Town 1.
Port Vale 0, Ipswich Town 0.
Swindon Town 4, Reading 2.
Torquay United 2, Bristol Rovers 2.
Watford 1, Cardiff City 0.

Northern Section

Carlisle United 2, Oldham Athletic 0.
Crewe Alexandra 2, Halifax Town 2.
Darlington 0, Barnsley 1.
Doncaster Rovers 1, Barrow 1.
Gateshead 4, Stockport County 1.
Hartlepools United 2, Accrington Stanley 1.
Rochdale 1, Bradford City 1.
Rotherham United 2, Chester 0.
Southport 1, New Brighton 1.
Wrexham 1, Lincoln City 0.
York City 1, Hull City 0.

BELFAST CITY CUP

Ballymena United 2, Linfield 3.
Derry City 4, Ards 0.
Newry Town 1, Portadown 4.
Glentoran 1, Larne 1.
Belfast Celtic 8, Coleraine 1.
Bangor 3, Cliftonville 0.
Glenavon 5, Distillery 3.

LIBERALS WORK OUT

Young Liberals will hold a football workout this morning at Hollywood Avenue at 10.30 o'clock. All members are asked to attend.

Leads N.H.L. Scorers

HECTOR "TOE" BLAKE

Montreal Canadiens' sharpshooter, who seems almost certain to step into the role played last season by Gordon Drillon, of the Toronto Maple Leafs, as individual scoring champion in the National Hockey League. Blake, never before a winner of the scoring title, has forty-five points at present. Next to him comes Dave "Sweeney" Schriner, of the New York Americans, but Schriner has finished his schedule with forty-four points.

Padway Betters Pole Vault Mark At Indoor Meet

INDIANAPOLIS, March 18 (AP).—Milt Padway, of Wisconsin, cracked the world's indoor pole vault record from a dirt runway in the Butler University indoor relays tonight with a towering leap of fourteen feet and five-eighths of an inch. The old mark of thirteen feet seven and three-quarter inches was set by Tommy Warne, of Northwestern, in 1929. Almost at the same time, Ed Smith, of Wisconsin, equaled the claimed world mark for the sixty-yard high hurdles by taking that event in 7.4 seconds. The sixty-yard high hurdles, however, is not a recognized event.

FAIR GROUNDS RACING

FAIR GROUNDS, March 18.—Results here today follow:

FIRST RACE—Mile and seventy yards:
Red Roll (Hanks) $5.80 $3.40 $2.60
Grecian Time (Conroy) 8.00 4.80
Witchwall (Sylvia) 6.20
Time, 1:44 1-5. Also ran: Parkwood Chief, Princess Verte, Fiddle Faddle, Viernes Santo.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:
Royal Broom (Johnson) $8.60 $4.00 $2.80
Pims Nugget (Stevenson) 4.60 3.60
Skippy McGee (Hightshoe) 5.00
Time, 1:13 1-5. Also ran: Social Error, Determined, Vedalia, Toms Lady, Quick.

THIRD RACE—Mile and seventy yards:
War Jest (Taylor) $81.20 $34.20 $10.80
Stout Heart (Keiper) 6.40 4.00
Idolatry (Oros) 4.40
Time, 1:45. Also ran: Spex Crest, Bobbrax, Bosie, Jim Cornell, Miney, Waterman, Zowie.

FOURTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards:
Patrol Scout (Marrero) $5.60 $3.40 $2.80
Dick Nalshapur (Rodriguez) 5.60 3.80
Alms (Calvert) 3.20
Time, 1:42. Also ran: Linger Awhile, Jubilee C., Shalimi Pool, Brodea, Bright.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Beisbbers (Krovitz) $18.20 $6.40 $4.60
Phalanan (Stevenson) 6.40 4.60
Bimby Baby (Lowe) 3.40
Time, 1:11 1-5. Also ran: Bachiller, Sun Capture, Fairflax, Marcabela, Sir Marlboro, Brown Bomb.

SIXTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards:
Waxwing (Stevenson) $5.80 $3.20 $2.60
Teddy Haslam (Oros) 3.60 2.60
Chance Ray (Hauer) 2.60
Time, 1:41 4-5. Also ran: The Thrush, Chance Sweet, Alt Lady, Calomar, Woodlander, Polly Hastings, Beldad.

SEVENTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Goster (Oros) $6.20 $3.40 $2.60
Vote Boy (Stevenson) 5.80 3.80
Trickwick (Hightshoe) 3.40
Time, 1:12. Also ran: Hito Manso, Legion, Buster Boy, Sanctity.

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards:
Spartan Lady (Keiper) $8.80 $4.40 $3.40
Jobloso (Meloche) 4.20 3.40
Checks (Oros) 3.00
Time, 1:45. Also ran: Triple Play, Holey V, Hints Wave, Lady Democrat, Silver Fleet, Well Star, Javaho, Kuvera, Biography.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Kapena 114
Filabre 102
Mohawk 106
Saxopal 114
Round Wave 107
Park City 107
Swift Air 104
High Diver 109
Mykena 104
Ipsomira 102
Wiggy 107

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:
Hot Dreams 110
Miss Dear 105
Beautiful Bob 105
Mustave 110
Money Don 110
Hoosier Maru 104
Hollywood 104
Tootle Spa 104
Gold Digger 101
Figure Four 101
Dr. Jimmie 105
Mad Mike 105
Zacsam 100
Sir Blackie 110
Kizzy D 110
Ali Lee 105
Gold Issue 110
High Start 110

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:
Gold Marple 105
Miss Bess 105
Tallstar 110
Dynamo 110
Wild Beauty 110
Pacific 110
Hook It 105
Cameo 110
Andrea B 110
Tom's Tooter 105
Dooger Scene 110
Hermie 110
Milk Green 100
Ann Shire 105
Sir Sweep 110
Sweet Times 105
Double Trouble 105
Tim Mc 110

FOURTH RACE—Four furlongs:
Liberty Queen 114
A. Palmera T 111
Tecolo 114
All Indigo 114
Nicopi 107
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FIFTH RACE—Six and one-half furlongs:
B. K. Blossom 105
C. Sonny 110
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Dominick 105
Goldmah 110
Bow Locks 102

SIXTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards:
Sound 111
Tremist 106
Mt Blue 111
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Cottingham 100
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EIGHTH RACE—Six and one-half furlongs:
Plymouth Red 110
Hints Wave 110
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Lady Tichner 110
Lady Ormond 110
Javaho 110
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First post 2:17 p.m.
Weather clear, track fast.

Victoria Hoopsters Chalk Up Victories In Title Fixture

Y.M.C.A. Junior Boys Defeat Chilliwack, 30-24, in Coast Basketball Final—Bob Whyte's Adverts Nose Out Cumberland, 20-19, in Overtime—Aces Triumph

Victoria hoop quintettes fought their way to two championships on the floor of Victoria High School gym last evening. The Y.M.C.A. breezed through Chilliwack, 30-24, to capture the junior boys' Coast title, and Bob Whyte's Adverts just beat the Bright Spots, Cumberland, under the wire to take the intermediate "B" Vancouver Island crown, 20-19. Both fixtures were sudden-death affairs. The "Y" boys will meet Kelowna for the British Columbia title.

Adverts had their hands full in disposing of the Up-Island lassies, finally emerging on the right side of the score after five minutes of overtime.

M. McDonald put the Victoria girls ahead, 12-8, three minutes before the third quarter ended, after both squads had battled on fairly even terms. Cumberland scored, and then M. Faulds tallied again for the Up-Islanders as the quarter ended, 12-12.

CUMBERLAND IN FRONT

Miss Faulds put the Bright Spots in front at 14-12, but D. Woodburn converted two foul shots to tie the score once again. F. Kennedy tallied for Victoria, but comely little Audrey Younger, Cumberland, equalized at the other end and full time found the score 16-16.

The teams continued their close race with the score mounting slowly. Ten seconds from time, with Victoria ahead, 20-17, Doris Brown scored and the gong sounded, giving the victory to the Adverts, 20-19.

After a rather slow start, Bill Naysmith's Y.M.C.A. cagers hit their stride and headed the Chilliwack boys for the Coast championship. The Mainland lads, a rangy bunch of cagers, had the locals on the run during the first quarter and at one stage enjoyed a four-point lead, 8-4. Seconds later, with Chilliwack leading the way, 10-7, Watson snared three successive baskets and Y.M.C.A. forged into the van, 13-10. Pyvis and McCreadie tallied for the visitors, and locals, respectively, and then Watson banged in a rebound as the half ended, 17-12.

OUTSCORE OPPONENTS

The Y.M.C.A. went on a scoring spree in the third and fourth quarters, running the score up to 30-17. With a minute and one-half to go, Pyvis notched two points for the Mainlanders, then sank another basket, converted a foul and dropped another one through the hoop as the game ended with Victoria still ahead, 30-24.

In an exhibition fixture, the Eight Aces overcame a 13-8 half-time lead of the Chinese Students and went on to win the game by a narrow margin, 25-23. At the three-quarter mark the Students were ahead, 18-14, but were outscored in the final eight minutes, 11-5.

R. Macmurchie, R. Malcolm (Victoria) and H. Watson (Cumberland) were the arbiters for the game.

Teams follow:

Adverts—D. Fuller, J. McDonald (5), G. McAnerin, M. McDonald (2), A. Taylor, D. Woodburn (2), F. Kennedy (8), M. Hacknett and D. Caley (3). Total, 20.

Cumberland Bright Spots — M. Tobacco (7), D. Hill, G. Woods, D. Brown (2), M. Faulds (6) and A. Younger (4). Total, 19.

Y.M.C.A. — Winslow, McCreadie (5), Long, Province, Sprinkling, Ball (7), Bostoc (4), Watson (14) and Peden. Total, 30.

Chilliwack—Pyvis (13), Currie (4), Dyson (2), Scudamore (1), Green (2), Cupe, Jackman, Broadhead, De Long (2) and Fligg. Total, 24.

Eight Aces—Whitfield, A. Price, R. Price (4), Smith (4), Webster (4), Clague (9) and Pridham (4). Total, 25.

Chinese Students—G. Lowe (7), R. Lowe, H. Chan (6), B. Mar (3), D. Lee (4), C. Nip (1), W. Lee and A. Chan (2). Total, 23.

BROUILLARD WINS

PARIS, March 18 (AP).— Lou Brouillard, of Worcester, Mass., former world welterweight and middleweight champion, fought to a listless ten-round draw with Edouard Tenet, of France, European middleweight titleholder, tonight. Brouillard weighed 160 1-2, Tenet 160.

DATES SET FOR GOLFING MEETS

Eight Important Tournaments Listed by Pacific Coast Officials

SEATTLE, March 18 (AP).—Washington's Golden Jubilee year is going to be a busy one on the links.

Professional and amateur golf officials announced today dates of eight Summer golf tournaments, and indicated there may be at least three more ere long.

Washington State Professional Golfers' Organization match play championship, Seattle, April 17, 18 and 19.

Pacific Northwest open championship, Spokane, May 23 and 24.

Calcutta Open, Seattle, June 11.

Idaho $1,000 Open, Boise, Idaho, June 23, 24 and 25.

Tacoma Open, Tacoma, July 20.

Washington State Golf Association open and amateur championships, Seattle, July 17 to 22.

Pacific Northwest Seniors have two tournaments ahead, the Northwest Seniors to be played at Rainier Golf Club July 25-28, and Inland Empire Seniors' tourney at Hayden Lake, Idaho, June 9, 10 and 11.

SMOKE EATERS BEAT RANGERS

LONDON, March 18 (CP).—Trail Smoke Eaters of British Columbia tonight defeated Earls Court Rangers, 2-1, in a hockey game here.

Bunny Dame and Joe Benoit scored for the Smoke Eaters, Allan Cup champions of Canada now on an extended European tour.

Gerry Brown scored the lone goal for the London team.

It was the fifty-second game for Trail since they crossed the Atlantic, and the fifty-first victory. The sole loss was last Thursday when a team of Wembley All-Stars defeated them here, 4-1.

A writer states that castor oil was discovered after being lost for 3,000 years. The finder, we presume, does not wish his name to be made public.

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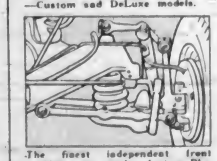

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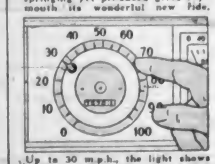

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MISUNDERSTOOD

A motorist, passing a fruit shop, noticed a small boy stealing some plums which were displayed outside the shop.

"Hi, mister," the motorist shouted to the assistant, "watch your plums!"

"Tuppence a pound," the assistant promptly replied.

Plays and Players

Screen's Newest Find Is Star of Capitol Film

The eternal vigilance and shattering nervous strain which are part and parcel of the life of a hunted man, are portrayed with dramatic realism by John Garfield, the screen's newest star, in "They Made Me a Criminal," which started a three-day run at the Capitol Theatre yesterday.

Garfield's characterization of the champion prize fighter who fled the law because he did not know whether he was guilty or not, is a triumph which will spread wider the fame he achieved in "Four Daughters."

The cast includes Gloria Dickson and the "Dead End Kids." Garfield, as the fighter, meets the youths on a big ranch, where he is nursed back to health by Gloria Dickson, after beating his way across the continent. There he trains for his last fight, which a detective on his trail helps him win.

LAUGHTON PLAYS CHARACTER ROLE

British Star Cast as Ginger Ted in "The Beachcomber" Opening At the Atlas

Lauded by the moviegoers and movie critics the world over for his sharp and pungent portrayals of such characters as Nero, Ruggles of Red Gap, Captain Bligh and Rembrandt, Charles Laughton has chosen to paint a screen picture of an entirely different character in his latest picture.

When "The Beachcomber" opens tomorrow at the Atlas Theatre, Laughton will be seen as "Ginger Ted," a character which springs from the pen of W. Somerset Maugham, famous English author who wrote the story on which the picture is based.

NEW VERSION OF OLD STORY AT COLUMBIA

Claudette Colbert and Gary Cooper, Hollywood's comedy romantic team, head the cast of the Paramount picture, "Bluebeard's Eighth Wife," which will be seen starting Monday by patrons of the Columbia Theatre.

The story, a new version of the famous play by Alfred Savoir, concerns a young American multi-millionaire who, after marrying and divorcing seven wives, marries an eighth who succeeds in taming and bringing him love for the first time. Miss Colbert, in the role of a penniless French aristocrat who marries him for his money, accomplishes the miracle by letting him understand that she is one woman he cannot wrap around his finger.

'TRADE WINDS' COMING TO OAK BAY SCREEN

Tay Garnett, globe-trotting film director who roams the seven seas in search of unfamiliar backgrounds for motion pictures, recently completed in Hollywood the screenplay which is the result of his most ambitious expedition.

The picture is "Trade Winds," the Walter Wanger production which will open tomorrow at the Oak Bay Theatre, with Fredric March and Joan Bennett in the starring roles. Though the story begins and ends in San Francisco, portions of the action take place in authentic locations in seven countries of the Far East.

ETHEL BARRYMORE TO PLAY IN "WHITEOAKS"

Ethel Barrymore, of the Royal family of the American stage, will come to the Royal Theatre for two performances—matinee and night—Wednesday, April 19, in her last season's New York success, "Whiteoaks."

The play, a dramatization by Mazo de la Roche, is drawn from the five novels of her "Jalna" saga, though it concerns chiefly her first story, "Whiteoaks of Jalna."

It is her character drawing that places "Whiteoaks" in the category of a really great play. No finer stage character was ever conceived than that of Gran Whiteoak. Miss Barrymore gives a perfectly rounded portrait of a figure from another day, a centenarian whose mentality and spirit have been touched lightly by time, and who still dominates a family whose avarice and bickerings can only be controlled by a steel hand.

"LA POUPEE" PROMISES TO SCORE MUSICAL HIT

On Friday and Saturday, March 31 and April 1, at the Empire Theatre, musical Victoria will have the opportunity of seeing members of the Victoria Grand Opera Association in a presentation of the charming comic opera "La Poupee."

For the forthcoming production a number of Victoria's most prominent young artists will be heard in the principal roles. The long cast of twenty-one parts will include Peggy Moore as the mechanical doll, "Alesia"; Fraser Lister as the doll-maker, "Hilarius"; James McVie as the romantic young monk, "Lancelot"; William Cobbett and George Farmer as "Baron Chanterelle" and "Loremoise"; Efrida Horsfall as "Madame Hilarius"; and James Matheson as "Father Maxime." Others in the cast will be David Hunter, Olive Batchelor, Ruth Shepherd, Arthur Jackman, Willa Andrews, Walter Laing, David Oldham, George Menelaws, Jack Millins, Wallie Marmo, Sheila McArthur, Myra Batchelor, Pat Sheldon-Williams and Marjory Barker.

OPERATIC RECITAL TO BE GIVEN HERE

The grand operatic recital which will be given at the Empire Theatre next Wednesday night by the pupils of Prof. J. B. Hoffman, and assisted by the Beethoven Choral Club and a large orchestra, with Mrs. C. C. Warn at the piano, promises to be a musical treat of the highest order.

The operatic scenes to be offered will be the "Miserere" from "Il Trovatore," by Verdi, with Miss Winnifred Applegate as Leonra; Alex Lindores as Manrico (tenor); Mario Forer as Ruiz (tenor), and the male section of the Beethoven Choral Club singing the chant.

In the presentation of the second and third acts of F. von Flotow's beautiful opera, "Stradella," which concludes the programme, Miss Applegate will take the part of Leonore; Marcus Wicks, a promising young tenor, will take the part of Stradella; while W. H. V. Davies, as Bassi (a Venitian nobleman), together with the two bandits, whose parts will be taken by Mario Forer and Thomas Crabbe, with their hilarity and comic antics, will provide great merriment to the performance.

TED SHAWN'S TROUPE COMING ON APRIL 17

Ted Shawn, who will appear here with his troupe of men dancers at the Royal Victoria Theatre on April 17, has achieved international success with his experiment in reviving the art of dancing for men. His company won great acclaim in London during the jubilee of the late King George V, where the artistry of these young athletes was hailed by the press as "something new and worth-while" (Daily Telegraph). London audiences shouted "Come back next year!" and The Daily Sketch called their performance "a sensation."

Shawn's successes in Canada, Cuba and the United States are as distinguished as that in London. His recital here will be eagerly anticipated.

CONCERT IS ARRANGED FOR FRIDAY EVENING

A concert of much interest has been arranged for Friday, March 24, in the First Baptist Church, Quadra Street, at 8 p.m. Well-known and popular artists are taking part, and the programme will include piano and organ, soprano solos, violin solos, baritone solos, contralto and tenor duet, elocution, male quartettes, contralto solos, banjo solos, vocal quartette, soprano and baritone duet, string quartette, and contralto solos.

"Miss Anna, which would you rather be, beautiful or rich?"

"I should like to be rich as well."

AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Atlas—Charles Laughton in "The Beachcomber."

Capitol—"They Made Me a Criminal," starring John Garfield.

Columbia — Gary Cooper in "Bluebeard's Eighth Wife."

Dominion — Bobby Breen starred in "Fisherman's Wharf."

Oak Bay — "Trade Winds," starring Fredric March.

Plaza — "I Stand Accused," starring Robert Cummings.

OFF HIS HANDS

Cautiously Elsie edged into the room and looked inquiringly at Eric. "It has been an eternity!" she said. "Has father given his consent?"

"At the moment," said Eric, "he is looking for the corkscrew."

'I STAND ACCUSED' AT PLAZA MONDAY

Robert Cummings and Tom Beck Cast in Opposing Roles in Dramatic Presentation

The dramatic criss-crossing of events in the lives of two pals-from-boyhood who use their legal training for opposite purposes is presented in the Republic Picture, "I Stand Accused," which will open tomorrow at the Plaza Theatre.

This Republic drama presents Robert Cummings and Tom Beck as two college graduates in law. Poverty and the despair of seeing his loved ones in stress, force Cummings into the easy money offered mouthpieces by the underworld. Beck, on the other hand, assiduously maintains the scruples and ideals of his barrister's oath, and soon has won a place on the district attorney's staff.

'Fisherman's Wharf' Ends Dominion Run Tomorrow

A particularly enjoyable concoction of human interest, comedy, drama and music is presented in the latest Bobby Breen picture, "Fisherman's Wharf," which will show for the last times on Monday at the Dominion Theatre.

The human interest is provided by a delightful father-son theme between Bobby and Leo Carrillo; the comedy by Henry Armetta, Rosina Galli and Slicker, the famous screen seal; the drama by Lee Patrick and young Tommy Bupp, and the music by Bobby, who sings six songs combining popular numbers with melodious tunes of the Mediterranean.

In the film, Bobby plays the adopted son of Leo Carrillo, jovial Sicilian fisherman who lives at the foot of San Francisco's famous Taylor Street, near the picturesque Fisherman's Wharf, after which the film was named. The picture was produced for RKO Radio release by Sol Lesser.

Friendship Guild Community Need

A meeting of the recently-formed Women's Guild of Friendship will be held on Tuesday, April 4, at 1210 Fort Street. The president of the guild is Mrs. E. E. Wootton and among those who are lending support to its endeavors are Ven. Archdeacon Nunns, Rev. Robert Connell, Rev. F. Comley, Mrs. Beasley, Mrs. W. E. M. Mitchell and Miss Kathleen Agnew.

The guild is inter-denominational and its aim is to provide a centre for fellowship for women of the community who are restricted as to income and opportunity and to provide, where possible, employment through self-help and co-operation, and to raise a fund to assist members in time of need.

Members of the guild will undertake all types of work, such as teaching, coaching, the instruction of backward or delicate children, dressmaking, housekeeping, plain sewing, typing and practical nursing. All applicants have the highest references and are capable and reliable.

Already a number of women have joined the guild and are enjoying the friendly meetings, and there is evidence of need for such an organization in the community.

The SNAPSHOT GUILD

PICTURES IN THE HOME

Attractive "home" pictures, such as this, are easy to take, either in the daytime or at night with photo bulbs.

PICTURES of the rooms of your home are easy to make, and add variety to the snapshot collection. They also have memory value, in the event furnishings are changed or the home is remodeled.

Any camera is suitable for these pictures, if it can be set for a time exposure. The pictures can be taken either in the daytime, or at night.

Before taking a picture by daylight, have the room illuminated as evenly as possible. Illumination may be balanced, in some cases, by adjusting shades of windows that will be out of range of camera. Photo lights of the amateur "flood" type are quite helpful in "evening up" the illumination. These bulbs are also valuable for taking night pictures of interiors.

With the illumination adjusted, place the camera on a firm support, shutter set for "time." Point it toward the part of the room to be pictured, set the lens for a small opening such as f.16, and make the exposure.

The exposure time varies with the brightness of the room. With a box camera, or using lens opening f.16 on cameras so marked, exposure can be as short as 4 seconds on a bright, sunny day when the room has white walls and more than one window. With dark walls and only one window, exposure on a sunny day would be about 40 seconds. On a day of hazy sun, leave the shutter open twice as long, and on a very dull day ten times as long.

These figures will serve as a guide, but for your first picture you should make several "test" shots, with increased exposure each time. Three shots, one with 10-second timing, one with 30 seconds, and one with about 2 minutes, will do. Have a print made from each negative, and you can get a good idea of the timing that will be best for other "interior" pictures.

Photo bulbs, when needed to obtain an even balance of lighting in a room, can be used in bridge lamps with shades tipped up and moved about to direct light wherever necessary. Of course, such lights used for general illumination should not be placed where they will show in the daytime pictures.

If windows are included in the picture, try this: keep the shades down for seven-eights of the exposure. Then close the camera shutter, being careful not to move the camera; raise the shades, and open the camera shutter for the remaining exposure time. This trick keeps the windows from recording too brightly on the film.

In arranging a room for a picture, it is wise to move any furniture that is quite near the camera, leaving an "open" foreground. This makes the room seem more spacious. The picture should show more floor than ceiling to avoid a top-heavy appearance.

Winter months are a splendid time to picture the rooms of your home. Take these pictures now, and you will find added value in them in later years.—John van Guilder.

Scout News and Notices

FIRST TILLICUM SCOUTS

The first Tillicum Troop met recently, with the Eagle Patrol on duty. At flagbreak, Jack Batey was placed assistant Scoutmaster, and Jack Rogers was raised to patrol leader of the Eagle Patrol. Following inspection, the Scouts practised signaling and other Scout activities. Singing and prayers concluded the night's activities.

FIRST CATHEDRAL TROOP

R. Wood, acting duty patrol leader, opened the meeting of the First Cathedral Troop on Friday evening. After the usual inspection, Morse signaling inspection was held and proved satisfactory. R. Canova and J. Rathbone passed the instruction tests in the Kim's game. A message relay outside followed, and was won by the Grouse and Pheasant Patrols.

The Eagle Patrol was successful in winning the patrol competition for the night. Duty patrol for next week will be in charge of the Pheasants. The monthly card party will be held tomorrow at the home of Mrs. R. M. Canova, 1050 Sutlej Street, at 8 p.m. All friends are welcome, and further information may be obtained by phoning E 4992.

Loyalists to Plant Maple Tree in Park

The Victoria descendants of the United Empire Loyalists held an enjoyable social on St. Patrick's night. Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Gunn kindly lent their home on Victoria Avenue for the occasion.

The Victoria Versalites provided excellent entertainment for the evening. Among those taking part were Miss Marguerite Elliot, Miss Violet Ockenden, Dorothy Finn and Mr. Arthur Veale and Mr. Berkeley Fisher.

The president of the society, Mr. J. H. Tabor, gave a short address and announced that Loyalists had made arrangements to plant a maple tree in Beacon Hill Park and that they would dedicate the planting with befitting ceremony upon the arrival of His Majesty the King.

The event will roughly mark the 160th anniversary of the United Empire Loyalists' arrival in Canada.

GENTLEMAN'S AGREEMENT

"I say—have you heard about Simpson?"

"No—what about him?"

"He's just got two months for pinching a radio set."

"Pinching one? Blimey—what a mug! Why didn't he get one on time-purchase, and not pay for it—like a gentleman?"

STARTS TOMORROW PLAZA ALL FIRST-RUN PROGRAMME
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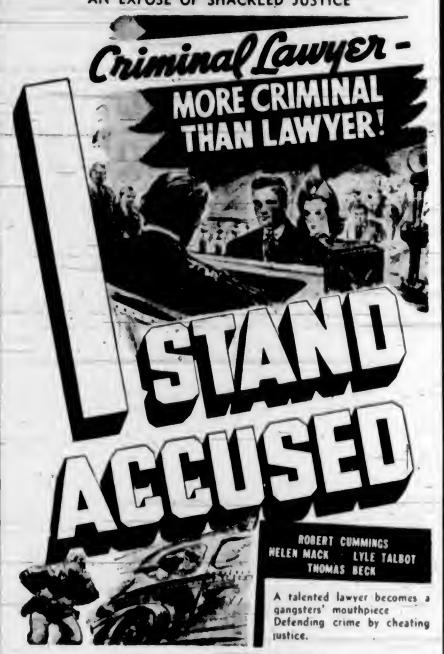

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MATINEE and NIGHT
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ETHEL BARRYMORE
IN
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MAIL ORDERS NOW
Prices — Night: Orchestra, $2.10, $1.60; Dress Circle, $1.60, $1.05; Balcony, $1.05, 80c. Matinee—Orchestra, $1.60, $1.05; Dress Circle, $1.05; Balcony, 80c, 55c. Send stamped addressed envelope for return of tickets.

COMING—2 Nights, April 24-25
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TERRY'S, LIMITED, NOW DIRECTED BY NEW MANAGEMENT

No Changes in Policy or High Standards of Service As Popular Drug Store Is Taken Over by Art Minnis—Complete Redecoration and Renovation Has Been Carried Out

TERRY'S Drug Store, on the corner of Fort and Douglas Streets, and for over thirty years a popular rendezvous for Victorians, has changed hands. It is now under the control of Art Minnis, proprietor of Minnis' Drug Store, Yates Street, and will be known in future as Terry's 1939 Ltd.

The change of control will not, however, affect the fine standard of service established by the former firm. Even better service will be provided in a completely renovated and redecorated premises.

For years, Terry's has been noted for its restaurant facilities. As many as 400 people can be accommodated in the attractively-decorated dining-room. An efficient counter service supplements this.

Mr. Minnis has completely remodeled the kitchen and brought it up to date in every respect, with grey and white enamel typifying the spotless cleanliness which is a rigid rule of policy in the store. An expert white chef is in charge of the kitchen and full-course meals are served from 7:30 a.m. until midnight.

CLUB LUNCHES

Organizations desiring to arrange club luncheons and dinners will find accommodation for as many as eighty-five guests in the private dining-room.

The once-a-week supper dances are proving so popular that the management is now considering holding them twice weekly and also instituting tea-dances on Saturday afternoons. The orchestra, of course, is a union orchestra.

Fully qualified chemists are in charge of the drug department and prompt delivery anywhere in the city is assured for all prescriptions.

A camera expert, versed in all phases of the photographic art, is available to give advice to customers interested in kodak activities.

The appearance of the well-known store has been improved by new fixtures, new decorations and showcases. Every convenience is offered the customer—from parcel-checking to the sale of stamps through a special permit.

TWO STORES

At present the two stores, Terry's and Minnis' Drug Store, are operated as separate entities.

The qualified druggists in charge of the prescription department are T. R. Thorstenson, J. O. Benge and F. R. Wright, assisted by an apprentice, Don Davies, and by Kathleen Whitehouse, the latter a qualified druggist and cosmetician. In charge of the photographic department is H. G. Hirst. In the dining-room, Miss Dorothy Jeeves, assisted by Miss B. Stromkins, acts as hostess. The fountain manager and assistant are S. Smith and David McConnell. Waitresses, fountain attendants and the delivery personnel comprise Misses Gladys Pinkett, Aileen O'Neill, Daphne Holmes, Georgina McAnernin, Marguerita Davies, Sybil Cotton, K. Miller, W. Price, H. Minnis and Mrs. McNeill. Miss N. Scoweroft is the bookkeeper.

OLD HISTORY

The assumption of control of Terry's by Art Minnis revives interesting memories of the retail drug business in Victoria. In the late eighties, Cyrus H. Bowes, then an employee of D. E. Campbell and the late W. S. Terry, then an employee of John Cochrane, formed a partnership under the name of Terry and Bowes' Drug Store. Later, Mr. Terry opened a store of his own under the name of Terry and Marett. Later known as Terry's Limited, the business was, in 1917, located at the corner of Douglas and Fort Streets.

Bowes' Drug Store, later on, was located at the corner of Government and View Streets. In 1918, Mr. Minnis entered the employ of this firm. For a short period he worked in the drug department of the Hudson's Bay Company, and in 1929 bought the business of Bowes' Drug Store, transferring the location to Yates Street and altering the name to Minnis' Drug Store.

"What can I do to have soft, beautiful hands?"

"Nothing, madam, and do it all day long."

DATES ARE SET FOR HOBBY FAIR

Committee Announces That Display Will Take Place on March 31 and April 1

An organization meeting of the Hobby Fair committee of the Y.M.C.A. was held last week in the Association building. The dates for the Hobby Fair were definitely set for March 31 and April 1.

Various committeemen reported on the activities of their sections. Response has been exceedingly good, particularly in the model aircraft and photography sections. It is expected that the aircraft section alone will fill the entire gymnasium, while the photography committee promises a marvelous collection of reproductions of drawings typical of all periods in painting and water color techniques.

There will be a fine display of miniature railroading, with running models built to scale operated on a large circular track.

The Fair is open to everyone who has a hobby. Entry blanks may be obtained from the Y.M.C.A., and further information will be received by phoning Vivian Shoemaker, E-8811.

Garden Society To Hold Show at Crystal Garden

The Vancouver Island Rock and Alpine Garden Society will hold a flower show in the north room of the Crystal Garden for two days, commencing March 24, at 2 p.m., and open all day Saturday.

The displays will include many varieties of alpine plants and rarer Spring flowering bulbs suitable for rock gardening. Arranged in the form of miniature gardens, alpine plants in pots and pans will be shown. Among these will be ten displays by professional growers.

The society sponsoring the show is the first of its kind in Canada and has a membership of about 125. It was formed in 1935 and is probably the largest in North America.

The show is the first held in Canada and Mrs. Berry, Portland, has consented to act as judge. She is one of the leading amateur growers and collectors on the Pacific Coast.

ON AND OFF

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Lady—Glory Glamour.
"Married?"
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A ROSE—

Sympathy goes out to those Iowa fraternity boys who lost their pet deodorized skunk. If, in their search for him, they start picking up strays, they'll never be able to be sure they're wrong until too late.

Assumes Control of Terry's, Ltd.

—Photo by Cherer.

ART MINNIS

THE new proprietor of Terry's 1939 Ltd., under whose direction the well-known drug store has undergone extensive renovation and redecoration.

Country Home Is Lost After Water From Well Fails

Robert Harger's six-room dwelling and its contents were completely destroyed by fire on the East Saanich Road, near Bazan Bay Road, early yesterday morning. The loss was estimated at $5,000.

Headed by Thomas Morgan, the Sidney volunteer fire department crew was called from the annual fireman's ball at Stacey's Hall. Within twenty minutes the blaze was placed under contro with well water and a portable power pump. Then the water supply failed, and while the pump was being attached to another well, the flames got out of control.

Constable David Thompson, Provincial Police, was driven out of the house by fire and smoke when he attempted to save some of the contents.

"BRIGHT AS A DOLLAR"

The gold dollar is not what it used to be, nor for that matter, the silver dollar either—that miniature cartwheel, a few of which, despite the cumbersomeness of the coin, used to jingle in most every pocket.

Those were the days in which was born the expression "bright as a dollar," now as figurative as paper money, but then having a real significance.

For, in rubbing against each other, the big silver coins, kept polishing each other up till they looked like new, whence "bright as a dollar" became the by-word.

TWO VICTORIA FIRMS LISTED

Canadian Friends of the Chinese People Society Incorporated Here

Two companies and one society with headquarters in Victoria were licensed last week, in an active period of provincial incorporations. The Victoria branch of the Canadian Friends of the Chinese People Society was licensed under the Societies Act. Hall & Company, Ltd., of 508 Bastion Street, and the Shasta Cafe, Ltd., of 1009 Government Street, were incorporated under the Companies Act, each with share capital authorized at $10,000.

Remaining incorporations included an extra-provincial licence granted to Exide Batteries of Canada, Ltd., of Toronto and Vancouver, with authorized capital of 10,000 shares of no par value; the United Distributors Co-operative Association, at Kelowna, and the following limited companies elsewhere about the Province.

Albion Investments, Ltd., $250,000, Vancouver.

Dawson's, Ltd., $10,000, Zeballos.

Bowell McDonald "U" Drive, Ltd., $10,000, Vancouver.

Meadowvale Creameries, Ltd., $25,000, Vancouver.

Empire Publishing Company, Ltd., $10,000, Vancouver.

Seaport Securities, Ltd., $25,000, Vancouver.

Pitt & Hunter, Ltd., $10,000, Vancouver.

Valley Electric, Ltd., $10,000, Vernon.

At Creston, the Rose Blossom Club was incorporated under the Societies Act.

DIES IN ENGLAND

TUNBRIDGE WELLS, Kent, England, March 18 (CP). — Sir Frederick Gorell Barnes, eighty-two, member of the Council of the Empire Industries Association and a former Conservative member of Parliament, died today.

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FREE DELIVERY
FREE DELIVERY

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  Two and three graduate chemists on duty during the greater part of the day. Prompt and careful attention for all prescriptions. All vaccines and antitoxins under proper refrigeration.
- DINING PARLOR
  Breakfasts, lunches, dinners . . . served under the expert guidance of a white chef. The SUNDAY DINNER a specialty you'll certainly enjoy.
- PRIVATE DINNERS AND LUNCHEONS
  New and special arrangements for private dinners and luncheons, with music and dancing, if desired. Ideal facilities at a reasonable cost.
- REMODELED KITCHEN
  New and up-to-date kitchen facilities and equipment, meeting with the approval of health authorities and catering experts.
- SODA FOUNTAIN
  With expert attendants . . . newest ice cream innovations and special sundaes . . . quick lunches . . . delicious coffee.
- KODAK DEPARTMENT
  Experts to guide you with photographic problems if you are a camera enthusiast. Developing and printing delivery twice daily.
- COSMETICS
  A complete stock of nationally-known products . . . such as Vita Ray, Lentheric, Coty, Helena Rubinstein and Yardley.

WE INVITE YOU TO MAKE AN INSPECTION OF OUR KITCHEN

FREE! Ice Cream Cones
This coupon, if presented between the hours of 9 A.M. and 11 A.M., Saturday, March 25, 1939, will entitle the bearer to one of Terry's full-sized ice cream cones.

MARINE, RAIL and AIR

MANY 'BIGGS' BOYS ENROLL

Applicants for Royal Air Force Assisted by Retired Shipmaster

Captain H. Seymour-Biggs, retired Atlantic ship skipper living in Victoria, has been devoting considerable of his spare time to assisting boys from British Columbia, and not a few from other parts of Canada, in making certain very necessary preliminary preparations for service with the Royal Air Force.

The majority of these boys cannot qualify for pilot's rank, although some have been able to enroll for short service commissions. Most of them just want something to do, and learning that the Royal Air Force is recruiting men for all its branches—it takes more than a baker's dozen to keep one pilot in the air—feel there might be opportunities for enlistment in a service which would at the same time enable them to acquire a useful vocation that might stand them in good stead at some future time.

Captain Seymour-Biggs has no official status with the British Air Ministry, but because he happened to be instrumental almost two years ago in helping one lad, who made good, to find a job which started him on a useful career, he felt, and still feels, justified in offering his help to any other boy who might desire to get to England, and has the necessary ways and means of getting there.

ONLY ONE REJECTED

All the boys who have journeyed to England looking for service in the air force have paid their own fares, while a number have worked their way on freighters. Only one has been turned down on arrival in England, and that particular one did not measure up to the doctor's standard before leaving and could not be recommended for enlistment.

"Biggs' Boys" have been going to England for the past eighteen months or more. During the crisis which more or less ended at Munich last September, quite a number wanted to be put in touch with the proper procedure to get into the air service, while at the present time an average of five boys a week are going "overseas." They come to Victoria from all parts of British Columbia, while some have come from Central Canada as far east as Fort William.

Each boy must have money enough to transport himself to Liverpool or London, main recruiting bases for the Royal Air Force. There is no machinery in Canada for recruiting men or boys for any British service, but there is nothing to stop an interested individual doing all he can to make it reasonably sure the passage money, in many cases hard to get, will not have been spent in vain. That is Captain Seymour-Biggs' interest.

BOYS WELCOMED

Needless to state these boys, passed medically fit here, are welcomed in England, and Captain Seymour-Biggs' letters of recommendation are instrumental in getting them through their additional examinations in England without loss of time, while a covering letter advising the recruiting depots of the date of their arrival assures them of being met by a representative of the Air Ministry and taken care of until enrolled or rejected.

The greater number of the boys going over to England have been enlisted to learn wireless operating, rigging, and to be armourers and mechanics, although a few who possessed the necessary educational qualifications have been recommended for short-term commissions by Captain Seymour-Biggs and are now qualifying for flight positions. Junior matriculation and better, provided a boy can measure up to the other requirements, are needed in applying for a course which will prepare the way for eventually wearing a pilot's uniform.

Spends Time Helping Boys

CAPTAIN H. SEYMOUR-BIGGS

A former Atlantic shipmaster, now retired and living in Victoria, has been interested for some time in assisting young Canadians who want to join the Royal Air Force. He has been instrumental in making the initial steps comparatively easy for well nigh 150 boys from British Columbia and other parts of Canada.

LARGE SHIPMENT SENT TO ORIENT

Yesterday the Empress of Canada, which left the Outer Docks for ports in the Orient, carried the largest shipment which has yet gone to Hongkong from the Committee for Medical Aid for China. Included in it were 2,000 bandages, three cases of clothes, and a draft for $175 Canadian currency.

This represents the monthly shipment of the Victoria committee which, for the past twelve months has maintained headquarters at 1426 Government Street for the purpose of rendering assistance to the Chinese people in their resistance to Fascist aggression—assistance in the form of medical supplies, clothes, and money to buy medical supplies.

The interest and support by the public have developed to such an extent that the results have far exceeded the hopes of the committee. The collections derived from the tin boxes at the counters in the Chinese stores in the past three weeks totaled $76.45; a contest for the winning of a doll netted $25, and the collection during the street parade of the Embargo Council brought in $57.44.

The committee feels extremely grateful to the public for its continuous support which has made possible this substantial contribution to assist China's war sufferers.

Rainbow Sea Cadets

Orders by Lieutenant-Commander P. W. Tribe

Parades for week ending March 25: Tuesday, March 21, the Corps will parade at the Drill Hall for instruction as per syllabus. Friday, March 24, the Corps will parade at the Drill Hall for instruction as per syllabus.

Strength Increase—The following have been taken on strength and posted to the Probationer Division: Cadet W. Thorburn, Cadet J. L. Armitage, Cadet N. J. McClellan, Cadet W. J. Barker, Cadet K. S. Robinson, Cadet A. Impey, Cadet O. Griffin, Cadet R. Colegrave.

Strength Decrease—The following have been struck off strength effective March 3: W.O. J. Drysdale, C.P.O. J. Bath, by their own request; L.S. W. Henry, Cadet D. Henry, on leaving the district.

Duties for the Week—Officer of the watch, W.O. H. Clarke; duty division, Red Division; duty bugler, Cadet J. R. Robertson; duty quartermaster, A.L.S. A. Gillies.

W. H. H. SMITH, A.-Lieut.,
Sea Cadet Corps.

MAIL AND SHIPS

WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN — Drizzle; southeast, light; 30.08; 46; light swell.
LENNARD ISLAND — Overcast; calm; 30.03; light swell.
PACHENA—Overcast; northwest, light; 30.08; 46; light swell.
CARMANAH — Cloudy; calm; 30.05; smooth.
CAPE BEALE—Overcast; calm; 30.00; smooth.

WIRELESS REPORT

(Estevan, 8 p.m., unless otherwise stated.)
WALLABY—Left Comox 9:30 a.m. Friday for Vladivostok.
HAZELSIDE—Left Port Alberni at noon yesterday for Vancouver.
TEXADA—From Seattle for San Pedro, 540 miles from San Pedro at 8 p.m.
ALBERTOLITE—Bound Vancouver from Port San Luis, 829 miles from Vancouver.
TALTHYBIUS—Bound Victoria from Yokohama, 940 miles from Victoria.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

TO ARRIVE

TALTHYBIUS—China, Japan, March 14.
LOCHGOIL—United Kingdom, March 17.
PACIFIC EXPORTER—United Kingdom, March 21.
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—China, Japan, March 25.
SALACIA—United Kingdom, March 29.
HEIAN MARU (Vancouver) — Japan, March 28.
DELFTDYK — Rotterdam and London, March 31.

TO DEPART

AORANGI—Hawaii, Fiji, New Zealand, Australia, March 15.
EMPRESS OF CANADA—Hawaii, Japan, China, Philippines, March 18.
HIE MARU (Vancouver)—Japan, March 30.

WHEN MAILS CLOSE

BRITISH MAILS

1.10 p.m., March 13, Duchess of Bedford, air mail closes 3.15 p.m., March 16; 1.10 p.m., March 14, Ausonia, air mail closes 3.15 p.m., March 17; 1.10 p.m., March 18, Nova Scotia, air mail closes 3.15 p.m., March 19; 4 p.m., March 16, Europa, via New York, air mail closes 3.15 p.m., March 20; 4 p.m., March 18, Queen Mary, via New York, air mail closes 3.15 p.m., March 22; 1.10 p.m. March 20, Montclare, air mail closes 3.15 p.m., March 23.

ATLIN AND YUKON

1.10 p.m., March 20, 30, April 10, 20, May 1, 13, via Vancouver; 4 p.m., March 17, 28, via Seattle.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

4 p.m., March 15, Aorangi; 4 p.m., March 26, Monterey, via San Francisco.

CHINA AND JAPAN

4 p.m., March 18, Empress of Canada, 11.15 p.m., March 21, Hie Maru; 4 p.m., April 1, Empress of Russia.

HONOLULU MAILS

11.15 p.m., March 13, 21, 28, 27, 28, 29, April 1, 4, 5; 4 p.m., March 15, Aorangi; 4 p.m., March 18, Empress of Canada; 4 p.m., April 12, Niagara.

JAMAICA

1.10 p.m., March 17, 19.

WEST INDIES

1.10 p.m., March 17.

QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS

1.10 p.m., March 17, 22.

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria for Vancouver daily at 1.35 p.m.; Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will arrive at Victoria daily from Vancouver at 3.10 p.m.; Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will leave Victoria daily for Vancouver at 12 midnight; Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will arrive at Victoria from Vancouver daily at 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria for Seattle daily at 4.30 p.m.; Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will arrive at Victoria daily from Seattle at 11.15 p.m.; Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 9.15 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive at Victoria from Seattle daily at 6.35 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES — Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Port Angeles at 9.10 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive at Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 8.35 a.m.

SALTSPRING ISLAND — Ms. Cy Peck leaves Swartz Bay daily except Wednesday for Fulford Harbor at 9.30 a.m. and 5 p.m.; Ms. Cy Peck leaves Fulford Harbor daily except Wednesday for Swartz Bay at 8.15 a.m. and 4 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER —Ss. Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10.30 a.m. Tuesdays, for Vancouver via Gulf Islands. Ss. Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria via Gulf Islands at 4.30 p.m. Mondays.

WEST COAST—Ss. Princess Maquinna leaves Victoria on the 1st, 11th and 21st of every month for Port Alice and way ports on the West Coast of Vancouver Island.

NANAIMO - VANCOUVER—Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo daily, except Saturdays and Sundays, for Vancouver, at 7.45 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine will arrive at Nanaimo from Vancouver, at 1.15 p.m. and 8.15 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo for Vancouver, on Saturday only at 7.45 a.m., 2.30 p.m. and 9.15 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will arrive at Nanaimo, from Vancouver, on Saturday only at 1.15 p.m. and 8.15 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo for Vancouver on Sundays only, at 5.45 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine will arrive at Nanaimo, from Vancouver, on Sunday only, at 1.15 p.m. and 11.15 p.m.

CANADA OUT FOR ORIENT

Big Empress Liner Sailed Last Night for Manila And Way Ports

Sailing for Orient ports via Hawaii, the Canadian Pacific Ss. Empress of Canada, Captain W. T. Kinley, R.N.R., commander, got away for Honolulu sharp on schedule yesterday evening, coming in from Vancouver shortly before 4 p.m., and leaving at 5:30 p.m. While here the liner embarked slightly over fifty passengers, all from United States points, and loaded mails and some general cargo for Far East points.

Going to Honolulu, among others, were E. H. Dresser, former chief engineer of the D.M. & L.R. Railway, Duluth, and Mrs. Dresser; Miss E. G. Heney and Mrs. L. M. Howe, Vancouver.

Passengers for the Orient included H. S. Wiegall, engineer of the Tokio Mining Company, returning home; Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Lance, the former connected with the Simmons Bed Company, Chicago, for Yokohama; Rev. Mother Superior Ste. Berthe and Sister Ste. Clair, Dames De Saint Maur, Paris, for Yokohama; and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Roxburgh, the former being Far Eastern manager of the Thorneycroft Company, Hongkong; and A. de Groot, British importer visiting the Orient with a view to establishing bureaus there.

A prominent British Columbian aboard the Canada was H. R. McMillan, who is on his way round the world, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Jean McMillan. Mr. McMillan stated that he would spend about three weeks in the Orient investigating possibilities of extending markets for British Columbia products and getting in touch with his companies' representatives. From Hongkong, Mr. and Miss McMillan will fly to London, from where, he stated, the bulk of orders for British Columbia lumber comes from at present.

ROYAL MAIL SHIP

Coming in from United Kingdom ports, the Royal Mail Lines Ms. Lochgoil was to dock here overnight and commence discharging cargo at 8 o'clock this morning. She will continue to Mainland ports later in the day.

PACIFIC EXPORTER

The Furness Line Ms. Pacific Exporter, due in the city today, is not expected here now until some time tomorrow night, King Brothers, local agents, announced yesterday. The Pacific Exporter is coming here by way of Seattle, and after completing business here, will continue to Vancouver about noon on Tuesday.

RESUMING SOON

The Pacific Steamship Company will have three, and possibly four, freighters operating coastwise from California to Oregon and Washington by the end of April, it is stated. This company was recently incorporated under the laws of Nevada under approval of the Federal Court of San Francisco, after three years of effort by the stockholders working under the leadership of Referee in Bankruptcy Burton J. Wyman to straighten out the tangled financial affairs of the old Pacific Coast Steamship Company, which were under the control of Dollar Steamship Company.

The new company officials state that due to the shortness of time, no passenger service to handle the Summer or Autumn trade would be attempted this year. The recently incorporated concern has the Admiral Line carriers H. F. Alexander and the Emma Alexander, to be reconditioned for the fast passenger service as part of their assets. The names of the freighters have not been made public, but they will be part of the fleet of the Portland-California Steamship vessels.

VANCOUVER SHIPPING

VANCOUVER, March 18 (CP).—The Holland-Amerika Line has placed orders for two big express passenger and freight motorships for delivery between August and October, it was reported here today. The two liners, 500 feet long, with a displacement of 17,850 tons, will be placed on the Pacific Coast-United Kingdom service. They will have passenger accommodation for 100.

The Danish East Asiatic's liner Canada, which is carrying Crown Prince Frederik and Princess Ingrid of Denmark to Los Angeles, is due here April 11. The Royal party will not come to Vancouver, but will reboard the liner on her southward voyage after they visit the Golden Gate Exposition.

F. Sowerby was elected president of the United Fishermen's Federal Union Local No. 44 today. H. Stravenes was chosen vice-president and W. Burgess, secretary-treasurer.

The Canadian Pacific's trans-Pacific liner Empress of Canada sailed today for the Orient with 215 passengers with a relief staff captain—L. C. Barry—aboard. Regular staff Captain J. B. Smith is on holiday ashore.

Captain H. D. Brown, former master of the steamship Camosun on the coastal run for Union Steamship, has gone back to deep-sea craft. He was aboard the freighter Holystone as first officer when the big modern freighter sailed last night.

JURORS SAW GRIM SIGHT

Bodies of Alaska Plane Crash Victims Found In Heap

JUNEAU, Alaska, March 18 (AP).—Death of six persons in the crash of an ice-laden plane on an isolated island was marked up today alongside the worst accidents in the history of Alaska aviation.

The coast guard cutter Haida brought here the bodies of Pilot Alonzo Cope and five passengers, missing since the Marine Airways plane radioed distress signals while battling a storm on a flight from Ketchikan last February 12.

An old-time prospector, Charles Ashby, found the pontoon-equipped craft crumpled in a tiny clump of small trees a few hundred feet inshore on Grand Island, opposite Glass Peninsula, four days ago. Delayed by stormy weather, he finally reached here late yesterday, his hands blistered from rowing, to report the tragedy and claim a $1,000 reward.

The Haida's party, including coroner's jurors, removed the crushed, frozen bodies found in a heap inside the badly smashed plane, their raised arms being evidence that Cope had warned them of impending danger.

Cope, about thirty-nine, veteran Anchorage, Alaska, flyer, died wearing the radiophone equipment he used to report his plane "icing up" at 2:15 p.m., on the Sunday flight. Stopped wrist watches of passengers indicated the crash occurred a few minutes later.

The wreck equaled the worst in Alaska's aviation history. Six died in a single crash twice before—when Pilot Steve Mills and five passengers were wrecked on the Kenai Peninsula in September, 1936, and when Sigismund Levanevsky and five other Russians vanished over the Arctic Ocean in August, 1937, en route from Moscow to the United States via Fairbanks.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Mariners are advised that the electrically operated fog bell on Shoal Point Beacon, entrance to Victoria Harbor, B.C., is out of commission. This bell will be repaired and again put in operation at the earliest possible date.

A. W. R. WILBY,
Agent, Department of Transport.

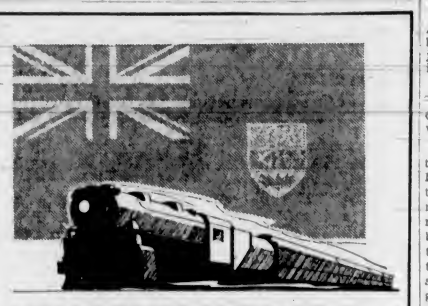
BOY SCOUT NEWS

SECOND CATHEDRAL TROOP

The Second Cathedral Scouts met on Wednesday for its weekly meeting. P. L. Stevens acted as D.P.L. A pathfinder badge and ambulance badge courses have been arranged for the troop. Several badges were given out at the meeting. The meeting was followed by the court of honor.

ESQUIMALT LIBERALS

The Esquimalt Liberal Association will hold its monthly meeting in St. Paul's Parish Hall, tomorrow at 8 p.m. Members are urged to attend.



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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Losses Cut by Late Support in New York Mart

NEW YORK, March 18 (AP) — Europe's troubles again inspired selling in the stock market today and leading issues dropped 1 to 5 points before late support cut losses substantially in most cases.

While nervousness over the war outlook abroad brought heavy offerings in virtually all departments at the opening, thoughts that the market may have been oversold, even if the totalitarian and democratic powers clash, attracted some speculative buying before the sound of the final gong.

Blocks of 1,000 to 6,000 shares changed hands on the way down at the start. Dealings dwindled on the come-back move, but the total for the two hours was 1,007,240 shares, the largest for any Saturday since October 22 last. The aggregate a week ago was 533,085 shares.

The Associated Press average of 60 stocks was off .7 of a point at 49.2. On the week this composite showed a net decline of 4 points, the biggest fall since March a year ago.

Stocks off 1 to nearly 4 points in the day's proceedings included U.S. Steel, Bethlehem, General Motors, Chrysler, Du Pont, Westinghouse, American Telephone, Montgomery Ward, American Smelting, Philip Morris, Santa Fe, and Allied Chemical. U.S. Gypsum, on relatively light dealings, dropped 6 3-4.

The bond market was thrown into a sharp downward spin today by heavy offerings which swelled the total day's business to the largest for a two-hour session in a year and a half.

U.S. Government obligations dropped as much as 18-32 of a point with more than ordinary turnover.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Dow Jones averages closed today as follows:

Thirty industrials, 141.68; off 2.21.
Twenty rails, 29.58; off 0.61.
Fifteen utilities, 23.92; off 0.43.
Forty bonds, 90.22; off 0.47.
Total sales, 1,010,000.

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths.)

	High	Low	Close
Air Reduction	54-8	54 2	54-2
Allied Chemicals	170		170
Allis Chalmers	41 4	40-2	40-8
American Can	80	69	80
American Cyanamid	20-4		20 4
American For. Power	2 8		2-6
American L. & T.	5 8	5 5	5-6
American Locomotive	22		5 4
American P. & L.	5 4		5 4
American Radiator	14 8	14	14-8
American Rolling Mills	16 5	16 3	16-3
American Smelter	42-7	42-2	42-7
American Tel. & Tel.	158	158 8	157
American Tobacco	64 6		64-6
American Waterworks	11 8	11 5	11-6
Anaconda Copper	26-5	26-1	26-4
Atchison Railway	33-2	31-6	33
Atlantic Refining	21-2	21	21
B. & O. Railway	6	5 4	6
Baldwin Locomotive	13-7	13-4	13-7
Bendix Aviation	24-1	23-4	24-1
Beth. Steel	68-4	65	65-3
Boeing	27	26-2	27
Borden	19 4	18 1	19-4
Borg Warner	28-1	27 1	28-1
Briggs	24	23 4	23-6
Canada Dry	16 6		16-6
C.P.R.	4 4	4 3	4 3
Caterpillar Trac	49	46-7	46-7
Case (J.I.)	85		85
Cerro de Pasco	40-7	40 4	40-7
C. & O. Railway	35-3	34 5	35-2
Chrysler	75 2	73 3	74
Columbia Gas	7 2	7	7-1
Commercial Credit	50-4		50 4
Commercial Solvent	10-8	10 3	10-8
Commonwealth & So.	1 4		1-4
Congoleum	25	25 2	25-2
Con. Edison	31 2	31	31-1
Cont. Can	39	38 1	38
Cont. Aircraft	22 2	21 3	22-2
Cont. Oil	27-8		27 8
Crown Zellerbach	18 2		17 7
Crucible Steel	37 7	36-6	37 3
Curtiss Wright	7	5 6	5 7
Curtiss Wright A	24 2	23 7	24-2
Deere & Co.	21 2	20 5	20 7
Douglas Aircraft	67 2	66 1	66 3
Dupont	166 2	163-4	166
Eastman Kodak	172	170	171-6
El Auto Lite	32 6	32	32-6
El. Power & Lite	9 5	9 3	9 3
Fairbanks Morse	36-4		36 4
Freeport Texas	23		23
General Foods	40 4	40 1	40 1
Gen. Electric	39	38 2	39
General Motors	48 6	45-3	46-4
Goodyear	31 4	30-7	31
Granby Copper	6 1		6 6
Great Northern	24-7	24 2	24-7
Great West Sugar	25-6		25-6
Hnat Sound	48 6		48-6
Hudson Motors	6-4		6-4
Inspiration Copper	13 4	13 1	13-4
Int Harvester	61	60 1	60 4
Int Nickel	48 6	48 1	48 3
Int Tel	8	7 7	7 7
Ill Central	14-7	14 4	14-6
Johns-Manville	66 1	65-6	65 7
Kennecott Copper	35 7	35 4	35 6
Kresge	21 4		21 4
Lambert Co	16 2		16 2
L. & M. Tobacco	105		105
Ludlum Steel	20 5	20 1	20-3
Loews	46 7	45 6	46 7
Lorillard	22 6		22-6
Mack Truck	24 1	24 4	23-1
Mallinson Alkalt	28 5		28 5
Mexican Seaboard	19		19
Monsanto Chemical	99		99
Montgomery Ward	48 6	47 7	48 3
Motor Wheel	14 1	13 7	14-1
Nash Kelvinator	7-3	7-1	7-1
National Biscuit	29 2	25	25-2
National Power & Lite	8		8
New York Central	17 2	16 6	17 7
North American Co	23-1	23-3	23 1
North Amn. Aviation	16 4	15-5	16-4
Northern Pacific	10 4	10 2	10-2
Ohio Oil	8 4	8 3	8 2
Owens Ill. Glass	62 2	62	62
Pacific Gas & Elec	32-7	32 3	32 7
Packard	3-7	3 6	3 6
Paramount Pictures	9-6	9 4	9 4
Penn Railway	20	19 6	20
People's Gas	35	34 4	34 4
Phillips Pete	39	38 4	38 4
Pullman	39 4	39-2	39 4
Pure Oil	9 1	9	9 1
Radio	7	6 7	7
Rem Rand	13-7		13-7
Republic Iron Steel	18-7	18 3	18 3
Reynolds Tob	38 6		38 6
Safeway Stores	34 3	33 4	33 4
Schenley	15	14 6	15
Sears Roebuck	72-7	72 1	72 4
Shares Steel	15 6	15-5	15 5
Shell Union	12-3		12 3
Socony Vacuum	12 4	12 3	12 3
Southern Pacific	15 8	15 2	15 6
Southern Rly	18	17 4	17-6
Sperry Corp	41 4	40-3	41-4
Standard Brands	6-6	6-5	6 5
Standard Gas	5-3		5 3
Standard Oil, Cal	28		28
Standard Oil, N.J.	46-7	46 2	46 6
Stewart Warner	10	9-6	9-6
Texas Corp	42-4	41-6	42-1
Texas Gulf	30-1	30	30
Timken	45	44-4	44-4
Trans American	6-2	6-1	6 2
Twentieth Century Fox	20 5		20 5
Union Carbide	82 1	81-1	82
Union Oil, Cal.	18		18
Union Pacific	86 1		86 1
United Aircraft	37-1	36 2	37-1
United Airlines	11 2	11	11
United Corp	2-7		2-7
United Fruit	75	74	74 4
United Gas & Imp	12-1	12	12-1
U.S. Pipe & Foundry	44	43-4	43-7
U.S. Indus. Alcohol	22	21-4	21 5
U.S. Realty	5		5
U.S. Rubber	44-1	42-2	43-7
U.S. Rubber, pfd.	100-2	100	100
U.S. Smelting	55-2	55	55
U.S. Steel	56 2	54-6	56
Vanadium	23-5	23	23-4
Warner Bros.	5-7	5 5	5-7
Westing. Air Brake	24-2		24 2
Westinghouse Electric	108 2	106 4	103-4
Western Union	21	20-3	21
White Motor	10-1	10	10-1
Woolworth	48	47-8	48
Youngstown S. & T.	43-3	42-2	43
Zenith Radio	17-2	17-1	17-1

FOREIGN CURRENCIES COMPILED ON BASIS OF CANADIAN DOLLAR

MONTREAL, March 18 (CP).—British and foreign exchange closed higher today. Nominal rates for large amounts:

Argentina, peso, .2324; Australia, pound, 3.7624; China, Hongkong dollar, .2927; France, franc, .026632; Germany, reichsmark, .4039; Great Britain, pound, 4.7096; India, rupee, .3531; Japan, yen, .2748; New Zealand, pound, 3.7927; South Africa, pound, 4.6888; Sweden, krona, .2427.

SHARP ADVANCES IN WHEAT PRICES

WINNIPEG, March 18 (CP) — Brisk covering stimulated by disturbing European political reports brought sharp advances to Winnipeg wheat futures prices early in today's session but some of the gains were erased later in the day when Chicago developed an easier trend.

Final quotations were 1 1-8 to 1 7-8 cent higher, May at 61 3-8, July 61 7-8 to 62, and October 62 7-8. Export sales of Canadian wheat were estimated as high as 500,000 bushels, including a fair amount worked from Vancouver.

Liverpool advanced 5-8 to 7-8d Chicago scored small gains and Buenos Aires was unchanged.

Coarse grain trading was quiet as prices followed wheat's rising trend. Little change was mentioned in cash wheat.

WINNIPEG GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—					
May	60½	60½	61⅞	60½	61⅞
July	61	61⅛	62⅞	61⅛	62
Oct	62	62⅛	63⅞	62	62⅞
Oats—					
May	28⅝	29	29	28⅝	28⅝
July	28⅞	28⅞	28⅞	28⅛	28⅛
Oct	a27⅝	b28			b28
Rye—					
May	39⅝	40½	40⅝	40⅛	b40⅝
July	40⅞	41⅛	41⅝	41	b41⅛
Oct	41⅞	a41⅝			b41⅛
Barley—					
May	36⅛	36⅝	38⅛	36⅛	36⅝
July	34⅞	35	35⅛	34⅛	34⅞
Oct	b34	35⅛	35⅛	35	35

Cash Grain

Wheat, 1 Hard, 60½; 1 Northern, 59⅞; 2 Northern, 56⅞; 3 Northern 51⅞. No. 4, 47⅞. No. 5, 41⅞. No. 6, 40⅞. Feed, 40⅞. Track, 60⅞. Amber Durum No. 1, 47⅞. No. 2, 44⅞. No. 3, 44⅞. No. 4, 41⅞. Track, 47⅞. Garnet No. 1, 51⅞.

Oats, 2 CW, 28⅞. 3 CW, 28⅞. 1 Feed, 25⅞. 2 Feed, 24⅞. 3 Feed, 22⅞. Track, 27⅞.

Barley, 2 R.O.W., 39⅞. 4 R.O.W., 39⅞. 3 C.W., 36⅞. 4 C.W., 34⅞. 5 C.W., 32. 6 C.W., 32. Track, 39⅞.

Flax, 1 N.W.C., 157. 2 C.W., 153. 3 C.W., 141. 4 C.W., 136. Track, 158.

Rye, 1 C.W., 39⅞. 2 C.W., 39⅞. 3 C.W., 38⅞. Rejected No. 2, 32⅞. 4 C.W., 31⅞. Track, 39⅞.

CHICAGO GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—					
May	68	68⅛	68⅞	67⅞	68⅛
July	66	66	66⅞	66⅛	66⅞
Sept	69	69	69⅞	68⅞	69
Corn—					
May	47⅞	46	48⅛	47	47
July	49⅞	49	49⅞	49⅛	49
Sept	50⅞	50⅞	50⅞	50⅛	50⅛
Oats—					
May	28⅞	28⅞	29	28⅞	28⅞
July	27⅞	27⅞	27⅞	27⅛	27⅛
Sept	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞	26⅛	26⅛
Rye—					
May	...	42⅞	43	41⅞	42
July	...	43⅞	44	43	43
Sept	...	45⅛	45⅛	44⅞	44⅞

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	Close
Amer. Cable, Power & Light A	⅞
Amer. Light Traction	18⅞
Amer. Super Power	9
Ashland Oil	4⅞
Avion Pulver A	37
Barium Stainless Steel	1
Bath Ironworks	6
Beech Aircraft	8⅞
Bell Aircraft	24⅞
Bellanca Aircraft	7
Brewster Aero	9
Cecalin Corp.	3
Cities Service	71⅞
Consolidated Copper	7⅞
Cooper Bessemer	6
Creole Pete	15⅞
Crocker Wheeler	8⅞
Davison Rubber	14⅞
Eagle Picher Lead	10⅞
E. Quire Coronet	7
Fisk Rubber	10
Ford of Canada A	29⅞
Glen Alden Coal	4
Gray Northern Paper	37
Gulf Oil	37
Hecla Mining	8
Humble Oil	67
Imperial Oil of Canada	16⅞
Intl. Pete	21⅞
Jones Laughlin Steel	24⅞
Lakeshore Mines	4⅞
Mead Johnson	44⅞
Mountain City Copper	5⅞
Newmont Mining	71
Niles Bement Pond	38
Pantepec Oil	6
Royal Typewriter	8⅞
St. Regis Paper	2⅞
Seversky Aircraft	4⅞
Sherwin Williams (U.S.)	104
Standard Oil of Ohio	19⅞
Technicolor	17⅞
Tubize Chatton	10⅞
United Gas Co	2⅞
United Light & Power A	2⅞

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NEW YORK, March 18 (CP). — Quotations in cents.

Canada—Montreal in New York, 99.37½. New York in Montreal, 100.82½.

Belgium—18.82½.
Denmark—20.81.
Finland—2.08.
France—2.64 1-16.
Germany—40.13, travel 21.80.
Greece—86½.
Hungary—19.85.
Italy—5.26½.
Yugoslavia—2.32.
Netherlands—52.08.
Norway—23.53.
Poland—18.83.
Portugal—4.25⅞.
Rumania—.75.
Sweden—24.12.
Switzerland—22.83.
Argentina—31.23.
Brazil—5.90.
Mexico City—20.00.
Japan—27.22.
Hongkong—29.12.
Shanghai—18.20.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 18 (CP). — Quotations in dollars: 4.66¼, sixty-day bills 4.67⅝.

(Rates in spot cables, unless otherwise indicated.

SLIGHT RALLY IN MONTREAL MART

MONTREAL, March 18 (CP) — An attempted comeback by stock market prices late today fell fractionally short of wiping out losses suffered in the brisk selling set off by Central European developments.

St. Lawrence Paper preferred was prominent among the losers with a 3 1-2 drop to 30 1-2. In the constructions, Steel of Canada, common and preferred, retreated 3 points each.

Noranda declined more than 2, while Nickel, Consolidated Smelters and Hudson Bay Mining trailed with losses of 1-2 to 3-4.

Fraser Voting sagged more than 3 and Royalite dropped 2 to 36 1-2.

Pend Oreille and Wright-Hargreaves dropped 30 cents each and Teck-Hughes 25.

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS
(James Richardson & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Bathurst Paper	7	8
Building Products	16	16½
Canadian Northern Power	16	17
Canadian Steamships	2½	2⅞
Canadian Steamships, Pfd	8	8
Can. Car & Foundry	13	13½
Can. Car & Foundry, Pfd.	30	30½
Canadian Celanese, Pfd	99	100
Canadian Converters	5	
Canadian Alcohol A	2	2½
Cockshutt Plow	6	6½
Consolidated Smelters	32⅞	
Crown Cork	29½	29⅞
Dominion Bridge	30	30½
Dominion Coal, Pfd	15	16
Dominion Tar	5½	5½
Dominion Tar, Pfd.	74½	
Dominion Textiles	63½	
Gatineau Power, Pfd.	89	
Hamilton Bridge	4½	
Hollinger	14	14½
Howard Smith	11½	12½
Howard Smith, Pfd.	93½	96
Hudson Bay M. & S	30½	31½
International Nickel	48½	49
International Petroleum	23	23⅞
Lake of the Woods	14½	15½
Massey-Harris	5	5½
Montreal Cottons, Pfd	99	100
Montreal Power	29½	30½
National Breweries	41½	
National Steel Car	51½	
Noranda	72	
Ogilvies	26	27½
Ottawa Power	14	
Penmans	41	42
Power Corpn.	10	11
Price Brothers	12½	12½
Price Brothers, Pfd.	49½	
Rolland Paper	9	
St. Lawrence Corpn. Pfd.	10	10½
St. Lawrence Paper, Pfd	30½	32
Sherwin-Williams	12	
Steel of Canada	72	
Steel of Canada, Pfd	70	71
United Steel	4½	
Curb		
Abitibi	10½	11½
Abitibi, Pfd	6½	8½
Asbestos	68	89
Bathurst B	2	3
Brewers & Distillers	4	5
Canadian Bisuit	28½	36½
Canadian Malting	34	35
Canadian Breweries	140	150
Canadian Breweries, Pfd	19	21
Canadian Vickers	7½	
Commercial Alcohol	160	200
Consolidated Paper	4½	5
Cub Aircraft	130	160
Dominion Stores	6	6
Dominion Tar A	4	4½
Fairchild	4	4½
Fleet Aircraft	7	8
Fraser Companies	10	11½
International Paint	2½	3
International Paint, Pfd.	11½	
Massey-Harris, Pfd.	36	40
McColl-Frontenac Pfd	83	90
Page Hersey	103	
Hiram Walker	43	
Hiram Walker, Pfd	19½	20½
Banks		
Bank of Commerce	176	
Bank of Montreal	203	206
Banque du Nationale	163	166

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO. VICTORIA)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	153	155
Brazilian T. L. & P.	9	9½
B.A. Oil	21½	22
Canada Malting	34½	
Canadian Pacific	4	4½
Con. Mining & Smelting	52	54
Dominion Bridge	30½	30½
Fanny Farmer	21½	22
Ford A	29½	30½
Goodyear Tire, Com.	75	77
Gatineau Power, Pfd	87	89
Goodyear Tire, Pfd	56	58
Hiram Walker G. & W.	43	44
Hiram Walker G. & W. Pfd	19½	20½
Imperial Oil	18⅞	18½
Imperial Tobacco	11½	11⅞
International Nickel	48½	48⅞
International Petroleum	25½	26
Lobtaw Gros A	23½	
McColl-Frontenac, Pfd.	89	91
Montreal Power, Com.	30½	30½
Quebec Power	27	27½
Royalite Oil	36	37
Shawinigan W. & P.	20	20½
Steel of Canada	71	
Traymor	10	11
Walker, Pfd.	120	125
Winnipeg Electric	1.00	1.25
Preferred	17	20
Bonds		
Canada Bread 6s	100	
Can. Steamships 4½s	50	55
Can. Vickers 6s	100	
Can. Malting 5½s	105	
Can. Pacific 4s perp.	74	75
Can. Pacific 4s 1960	100	
Can. Pacific 4½s 1960	100	
Can. Pacific 4½s 1962	100	
Can. Pacific 4½s 1966	100	
Can. Pacific 4½s 1968	100	
Can. Pacific 4½s 1969	100	
Can. Pacific 4½s 1970	100	
Can. Pacific 4½s 1972	100	
Can. Pacific 4½s 1974	100	
Can. Pacific 4½s 1976	100	
Can. Pacific 4½s 1978	100	
Can. Pacific 4½s 1979	100	
Can. Pacific 4½s 1980	100	
Can. Pacific 4½s 1981	100	
Can. Pacific 4½s 1982	100	
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1 BIRTHS

LAMBIER—At St. Joseph's Hospital on March 18, to Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Lambier, 22 Rowland Avenue, a daughter.

2 DEATHS

JOHN—Passed away on March 18 at Rest Haven Sanitarium, Sidney, Mr. George David John, aged fifty-one years, a native of North Saanich and the eldest son of the late David John and Margaret Smith. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife and six children, at the family residence; his mother, Mrs. Margaret Smith, all of Sidney.
The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Home, pending funeral arrangements, which will be announced later.

SHORE—There passed away Friday, March 17, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Mary Hammon Shore, of 239 Superior Street. The late Mrs. Shore, who was eighty-three years of age, was born at Delaware, Ont., and had resided in this city for more than forty years. She leaves to sorrow one son, Frederick, of Delaware, Ont.
The remains are resting at the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Announcement of funeral will be made later.

SAUL—Passed away on March 18, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Albert Edward Saul, aged fifty-three years, a native of Australia and a resident of Victoria for thirty-five years, late residence Goldstream, V.I. The late Mr. Saul leaves in sorrow his wife and two daughters, Mary and Margaret, in Victoria, and brothers and sisters residing in England.
The funeral has been arranged to take place from the Thomson Funeral Home on Monday afternoon at 2.30, March 20, Rev. Canon F. A. P. Chadwick officiating. Interment will be made in the Colwood Burial Park.

ANDERSON—At St. Joseph's Hospital on March 17, James Anderson, aged forty-eight years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thorston K. Anderson, of 2221 Fernwood Road. The late Mr. Anderson was born in Winnipeg. He was well known as a dental mechanic. Besides his parents, he is mourned by a sister, Miss Rankka, at home.
The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home at 3.30 o'clock. Rev. K. Simundon, of Seattle, an intimate friend of the family, will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

CLARK—On Friday, March 17, there passed away at the family residence, Otter Point, Mrs. Bessy Annie Clark, aged seventy-three years, born in Southampton, England, and a resident of Otter Point about forty-five years. She leaves to mourn her passing one son, Reginald, of Otter Point; two daughters, Mrs. George Davies, Otter Point, and Mrs. Henry Dods, of Duncan; also thirteen grandchildren.
The remains are resting at the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Ltd. On Wednesday, March 22, the cortege will leave the chapel at 1 o'clock, and at 2 o'clock services will be conducted in Knox Presbyterian Church, Otter Point, by Rev. Samuel Lundy, and interment will be made in the church cemetery.

CRUSE—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Thursday, March 16, Miss Clara Alice Cruse, aged sixty-four years, of 2325 Dunlevy Street, Oak Bay. The late Miss Cruse was born in Ontario and had been a resident of this city for the past twenty-five years. She is mourned by five brothers, Pritchard C. and Oswald F., of Keating; Geoffrey, of Parksville, B.C., and George H. and Leonard D., of Port Mann, B.C.; also her wards, Miss Margaret Wells, with whom she resided, and Pearl Nicol, of Vancouver, B.C.
The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Shady Creek Cemetery, Saanichton.

FAICKNEY—At St. Joseph's Hospital on Friday, March 17, Francis Murray Faickney, aged fifty-nine years, of Dunsterville Avenue, Colquitz. The late Mr. Faickney was born in Fankarton, Denny, Scotland, and had been a resident of Victoria and district for the past twenty-eight years. He is mourned by his widow and three daughters, Mrs. Edwin McDowell, of Olympia, Wash., and Misses Bessie and Catherine, at home; also two brothers in Winnipeg, Man., and a brother and two sisters in Scotland. He was a member of Court Victoria Lodge No. 8930, A.O.F., and of Wilkinson Road United Church.
The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home at 2 o'clock. Rev. William Allan will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

2 DEATHS (Continued)

HERNALSTEEN—Passed away March 17 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Bourke, 2333 Blanshard Street, Mrs. Victorine Frank Hernalsteen, aged sixty-nine years, a native of Brussels, Belgium. The late Mrs. Hernalsteen had been a resident of Victoria for nineteen years and had many friends who will regret to hear of her passing. She leaves in sorrow her daughter, Mrs. John Bourke; one brother in Belgium, and six grandchildren.
The funeral has been arranged to take place from the Thomson Funeral Home on Tuesday morning, March 21. The cortege will leave the chapel at 8.45 o'clock, proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where Mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

4 CARD OF THANKS

William McC. Moore, Vancouver, and Miss Helen B. Moore, of Victoria, wish to express their gratitude to their many friends for words of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes received during their recent bereavement, in the passing of their mother. Especially do they wish to thank Dr. Walter Sapty for his untiring attendance during the past seventeen years, also all those who in any way ministered to the late Mrs. Moore during her last illness.

5 IN MEMORIAM

KEISER—In loving memory of Louis John Keiser, who passed away March 17, 1937.
Today recalls the memory
Of a loved one gone to rest;
And those who think of him today
Are those who loved him best.
Sadly missed by his loving wife, sons and daughters.

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BASKETBALL WIND-UP DANCE OF the Esquimalt basketball teams will take place at the Esquimalt Club, Fraser Street, Friday, March 31. Bert Zala's Orchestra. Dancing, 9 to 1; refreshments. Admission, 50c.

C.C.F. PUBLIC MEETING—A ROUND table conference on Will Herridge's Proposals Solve Canada's Problems, at 724 Fort Street, Monday, March 20, 8 p.m.

C.C.F. HALL, MOUNT TOLMIE, CONcert and dance, Friday, March 24. Chicken tombola; free. Admission, 25c.

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FOR SALE, HOBBIES' FRET SAW MAchine, also gas plate. E 2028

FLAGPOLE, 20 FEET, FIR, COMPLETE with guy. E 0437

FOR SALE — MANURE, TWO YARDS, $3.50, delivered. G 4256

GARDEN CHAIRS — JUST WHAT YOU want for outdoors. 25c. E 2484

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IF YOU WANT A REAL GOOD BUY IN an electric washer, phone me at E 6217. Ask for Mark Russell.

KELVINATOR Refrigerator, 6 cu. ft. capacity, never been used, special $150. Murphy Electric Co. Ltd., 751 Yates. G 1713

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LADIES' and GENTS' Suits, Custom-Tailored. Fit guaranteed. British cloths. $25 up. Murrell's Tailor Shop, 1115 Blanshard.

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MODEL AIRPLANE KITS AND SUPplies—We have a large range of complete kits in solid and flying models. Prices: 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c, $1.00, $1.50. We also have a new stock of balsa wood in various sizes. Robinson's, 1220 Broad St., opposite Colonist.

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MEDIUM-SIZE MEN'S 3-PIECE DRESS suit, $15. E 8330

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PIPE, USED AND NEW PIPE, VALVES and fittings. Large stock of all sizes. Capital Iron & Metals, Ltd., 1824-32 Store Street. Phone G 2434

ROLLS RAZORS, $3.75; 26-IN. SUITCASES, $1.50; 8-power prismatics, $17.50; field glasses, $6.75; 30-30 rifle, $23; .22 rifle, $4.75; mudguards, 39c; pedals, 39c. Dunlop tires, $1.10; inner tubes, 60c; wide handlebars, $1.75; boy's bicycle, $12.50; radio tubes, 75c; spectacles to suit any sight, $2.75. Aaronson's Cut Rate Store, 1328 Gov't Street.

RUBBER GOODS, SUNDRIES, ETC. mailed postpaid in plain sealed wrapper. 50 per cent less than retail. Write for mail-order catalogue. NOV-RUBBER CO., Dept. BQ, Box 91, Hamilton, Ont.

RANSOME ELECTRIC LAWN MOWER, 14-inch knife. F. W. Hendriey. G 2605

ROTTED PULVERIZED MANURE, 25c bag. 2034 Cedar Hill Road. G 2785

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SINGER SEWING MACHINE Demonstrator, latest type. Reduced price. Singer Sewing Machine Co., 726 Yates. E 6812

WHEEL CHAIRS, HOSPITAL BEDS, tables for rent. 2514 Douglas. E 2743

ZENITH ELECTRIC WASHER, LIKE new, at less than half price for cash. Suite 1, Central Park Apartments.

41 WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

A REPUTATION FOR PAYING HIGHest prices for rags, bottles, tools, stoves, furniture, or anything you wish to dispose of. We call anywhere any time. G 4752

ANTIQUE JEWELRY—OLD GOLD, GOLD coins, plates, etc., for cash. Rose's, Ltd., 1317 Douglas Street.

IF YOU WISH TO DISPOSE OF YOUR furniture, etc., antique or modern, consult us. We either buy outright or sell for you. Fred Smith & Co., Auctioneers. G 4913

41 WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS (Continued)

CASH FOR OLD BICYCLES OR PARTS. Call anywhere. G 4722

BOILER Repairs and Welding. Second-hand steam boilers bought and sold. C. Medrich, 516 Pisgard Street. E 2069.

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BEST PRICES PAID FOR RAGS, BOTtles, stoves, tools, piping, furniture, etc. Call right away. E 0343 or E 0950

FURNITURE, RUGS, CLOTHING, TOOLS and ranges for cash, or will sell on commission. LONDON AUCTION, 819 Pandora. Phone G 2024

LARGE QUANTITIES GOOD FURNIture. George Plowman, 824 Fort. E 3642.

WANTED—USED WASHING MACHINE, cheap. State make, price. Box 5936, Colonist.

WANTED—PAIR TWIN BEDS, COMplete, must be in good condition. G 3171.

WANTED—CARPET, 9 FT. x 10 FT., 8 in. one smaller size. Double and single bed. G 6495.

WILL STORE PIANO FOR ITS USE. References; no children. Richardson Street. E 4771

WANTED — CHILD'S PLAY PEN AND folding go-cart. Phone G 1288

WANTED—MILK SHAKE MACHINE, must be in good condition. G 0043.

WANTED—A LIGHT BICYCLE. PHONE G 3766

WANTED—RED FOX FUR, REASONable. E 3006.

41A SWAPS

EXCHANGE GARDENING, PAINTING, carpentry, for anything of value. G 2542.

TELESCOPE FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR what have you. G 1568

42 POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

42A POULTRY AND SUPPLIES

BUY NEW HAMPSHIRES FOR QUICK growth, fine layers. Eggs from Government blood-tested and approved two-year-old hens, over 95 fertile, $8 per 100. Chicks, 15c each. Also Rock-Hampshire cross, $5 per 100. G 1254.

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BARNEVELDER HATCHING EGGS, BIG brown beauties, $1 dozen. Cockerels, sell or exchange pullets. MacGregor, 400 Ker.

CHICKEN HOUSE (PORTABLE), SIZE 8 feet x 10 feet. Will sell for $10, or trade for anything useful up to that amount. G 5665.

CUSTOM HATCHING — 3c PER EGG; tray lots 140. Order Leghorn, R.I.R., chicks now. T. W. Palmer, R.R. 3. G 1329.

FREE — 12 CHICKS WITH EACH 100. Leghorns, 11c; Hampshires, 12½c, delivered. Custom hatching, $2.50 100. Rowntree, Keating 49R

FOR SALE, TEN WHITE LEGHORN pullets, laying, $1.10 each. E 2283.

FOR RELIABLE R.I.R. HATCHING eggs and day-old chicks—Jones. G 8757

GOVERNMENT APPROVED WHITE JERsey Giant chicks, also Pekin ducklings, 20c each. R.O.P. sired chicks every Friday. A. E. Nix, 3500 Douglas Street. E 3578

JERSEY GIANT SETTING EGGS OR hen with chicks for sale. Tickner, Verdier and West Road.

PULLETS, FIVE R. ISLAND BANTAM cross, $1.10; three Leghorns, $1.15 each, all laying good, delivered. Mullard, 3107 Shelbourne. E 3935

R.I.R. GOVERNMENT - APPROVED, blood-tested hatching eggs, $5 100; chicks to order, $15 100. Hoole, Oldfield Road. Colquitz 25T

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LAKEVIEW POULTRY FARM,
WESTHOLME, B.C.
White Leghorns, Heavy Breeds and First Crosses.
For profit plan to get better chicks this year direct from a reliable poultry breeder.

WHITE LEGHORN HATCHING EGGS and chicks from pens of 500 selected second, third and fourth-year birds. March eggs, $4.50 per 100. April and May, $4.00 per 100. Chicks $11.00 for 100. T. Raynbird, Old West Road, R.R. 1, Royal Oak.

WANTED—WHITE WYANDOTTES AND Plymouth Rock pullets. M. Knight, R.R. 4, Victoria.

WANTED—GOLDEN SEABRIGHT BANtam hen. G 7683.

42B HORSES

ALBERTA HORSES, 1,400 TO 1,800. 3008 Douglas Street.

FOR SALE, HEAVY TEAM AND HARness. Good workers. Will sell separate. McPherson, Cedar Hill Crossroad. G 3597

GENERAL-PURPOSE HORSE — WORK single or double, cheap for cash. G 5564

WELL-MATCHED TEAM, 2,800. ONE single horse. Pratt, 703 Esquimalt Rd.

42C CATTLE

COWS—Fresh in, some due to freshen; heavy milkers and family. G 5564.

HIGH-TEST JERSEY COW FOR SALE—3½ gallons. Three Oaks Service, Wilkinson Road.

OLD COWS AND HORSES WANTED. S. Lang, Colwood. Bel. 31X

42E GOATS

SAANEN GOAT, FRESH IN TWO weeks, milks five quarts daily. $15. E 0946

42F DOGS

CAIRN TERRIERS OF MELITA puppies, $15 up. Raymond, off Carey. E 4031.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL LITTER ENGlish Setter puppies, registered stock. Phone E 7373. F. Topp-Turner, 649 Admirals Road.

LOCALLY-GROWN ROSE TREES—FIVE for $1.00. Shrubs, 20c up. Pet Shop, 1412 Douglas Street. Phone G 5721

PEDIGREED COCKER PUPS FOR SALE, floor-boarded, petted one, especially. E 2053

RED COCKER PUPPIES, MALES, FOUR months, with or without papers. For hunting or pets. Mrs. Fawdry, Cobble Hill.

SHEPHERD DOG, HOUSE TRAINED, AFfectionate, $2. 2224 Rutledge. E 7850

SCOTTISH TERRIER PUPS FOR SALE, males. E 4547

TWO GOOD SADDLE HORSES FOR sale. Apply Craigflower Auto Court. G 6330

TALKING PARROTS, SINGING CANARies, hens, finches, cages, stands, tonics, seeds. Pet Shop, 1412 Douglas. G 5721.

42X MISCELLANEOUS

EARLY-CUT, LOOSE HAY, $12 A TON. Apply at 3450 Whittier Avenue.

GOOD SINGING CANARIES, $3 EACH. Apply 3247 Alder Street, Saanich.

PEERLESS REDHEAD COAL-BURNING brooder, No. 64, for sale. Phone G 4880

SHEEP SHEARING MACHINE, STUART ball bearing No. 9 complete, and blade sharpener. Glendenning Farm, Albion 41R.

47 ROOM AND BOARD

BUSINESS PEOPLE—Comfortable rooms, board, garage. 67 Wellington. E 8789.

PLEASANT HOME, IN NICE DISTRICT; good table. 1152 Burdett. E 4638

ROOM WITH OR WITHOUT BOARD, suitable for gentlemen, single or double. E 4930

1016 CARBERRY GARDENS, NEAR Fort, ground floor room, continuous hot water. G 3640

1418 HARRISON, FUR OR UNFUR., fireplace, home cooking. E 8772.

48 ROOM AND BOARD WANTED

STENOGRAPHER WISHES BOARD WITH widow or small family near Exhibition Grounds. Box 5804, Colonist.

A Mart for Busy Readers—Property for Sale or Trade

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48 ROOM AND BOARD WANTED (Continued)

GENTLEMAN REQUIRES ACCOMMODATION, only boarder, comfortable home, good district. Terms very moderate. Box 5985, Colonist.

YOUNG LADY WANTS GOOD BOARD and room with use of piano, close in. Box 5981, Colonist.

49 ROOMS TO RENT

COLUMBIA ROOMS, PANDORA AT Broad — Housekeeping or furnished rooms. Hot and cold water. G 2215

OXFORD HOUSE, 749½ Fort—Housekeeping rms., h.-c. water, $2.50 wk. G 8196

YORK HOTEL, JOHNSON AT DOUGLAS. Modern, comfortable, inexpensive.

49A FURNISHED

A LARGE ROOM, WITH KITCHENette, now vacant: Rockland district. E 7836.

BEDROOM AND SITTING-ROOM, GARAGE, use of kitchen or board. G 8178.

CECIL Hotel, 1322 Blanshard St. Room, with or without bath, reasonable rates.

FAIRFIELD HOTEL, OPPOSITE CITY Hall — Comfortable Winter quarters. Well-heated rooms from $3. Housekeeping privileges. Props. Scruton & Nunn.

RITZ HOTEL, 710 FORT—BEDROOMS, suites, housekeeping rooms, elevator; central. Reasonable rates. G 7159.

49B UNFURNISHED

FRONT ROOM, SUNPORCH, GROUND floor, sea, park, car. 870 Battery.

51 HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS TO RENT

CLIFTON HOUSE—L.R. OR SLEEPING $2.50 week up. 1219½ Broad. E 8034.

H.K. ROOMS, BOARD IF DESIRED, good locality, walking distance. E 7079.

430 DALLAS—H.W. HEAT, MODERN, quiet, near car, sea; suits, $15. E 7467.

1425 PENWOOD ROAD, 2 ROOMS and kitchenette. H. and C. water, gas. Partly furnished. On third floor.

962 YATES STREET, FURNISHED AND unfurnished housekeeping rooms, all found. Phone G 2989.

51A FURNISHED

ATTRACTIVE HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS. Davonshire House. Inspect this warm, quiet hotel for Winter comfort. 722 Fort St.

AT 1114 ORMOND STREET — HOUSEkeeping rooms.

ATTENRYN, 1031 PANDORA—QUIET, warm, furnished housekeeping rooms.

COMFORTABLE, CLEAN ROOM, EVERY convenience. 615 Vancouver St. E 6572.

FRONT BED-SITTING-ROOM, KITCHEN refined home. 307 Vancouver St.

FURNISHED AND UNFUR. HOUSEkeeping rooms. Near sea, car. E 3173.

FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS. Flats cabins. $6 mo. up. 1026 Hillside.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOM, IN STUCCO bungalow, open fireplace; all found, gas for cooking. $4 week, $15 month. Phone F 0781.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS, $5 MONTH. Saanich. Box 5948, Colonist.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS—HEAT, GAS. $9.50-$11.50 up. 1145 Rockland.

LARGE FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING room, sea view. 502 Dallas Road.

SMALL, SOUTH BEDROOM, CLOSE IN nice district, $8. E 7289.

SINGLE AND DOUBLE, CONSTANT HOT water. Furnace. 1527 Camosun. G 6487.

TWO-ROOM FURNISHED SUITE FOR one or two adults. 1023 Pandora Ave.

TWO SINGLE H.K. CLEAN, BRIGHT, comfortable, all found. $18. G 3870.

WARM SUNNY ROOM, NEAR CAR, SEA park. 864 Battery Street.

51B UNFURNISHED

FRONT ROOMS, $7, $8, GROUND floor; light, water, wood. Queen Road, Douglas. Also room, pantry, sink, private entrance; light, water, wood. $10. Box 5972, Colonist.

PRIVATE HOME, SELECT NEIGHBORhood, large front room, open grate, furnace heat; walking distance. E 1873.

52 HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS WANTED

52B UNFURNISHED

ONE LARGE UNFURNISHED HOUSEkeeping room, and kitchenette, ground floor, on or near Pandora Avenue, under $20. Box 5958, Colonist.

53 FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT

APARTMENT, FURNISHED, TWO AND three rooms, from $14.50 to $25, close to High School. 1251 Pandora. Phone owner, E 2864.

AT WILLINGDON — FULLY MODERN suite with Frigidaire, furnished or unfurnished. Reasonable rental. G 5268.

AT MONTROSE APT. HOTEL, furnished suite, with all modern conveniences.

ALSA MANSIONS—FURN OR UNFURnished, excellently serviced. E 0861.

ATTRACTIVE FURNISHED SUITES NOW available. Savoy Mansions. G 8623.

APARTMENTS — Fully furnished, self contained; reasonable rates. E 5072.

BEACON HILL—ATTRACTIVE THREE or five-room suite. No children. E 3065.

CRESTA LINDA — SELF-CONTAINED flat, three rooms, fully modern, with fireplace. $33.

DESIRABLE FURNISHED SUITE, PRIvate bath, near park, sea, car. 133 Cook.

DORCHESTER APARTMENTS — NEW five-room suite, overlooking water and Mount Baker. Phone E 7174 or E 7725.

FURNISHED SUNNY 3-ROOM SUITE, central heated, light, water, phone. $22.50. Adults. 1132 Empress Avenue. G 9691.

FOR RENT, $45.50, FIVE-ROOM APARTment; good large rooms; five minutes walk from city. Available April 1. For appointment to view, phone E 7174.

FURNISHED FLAT, LIGHT, WATER, phone, $25. 1317 Pandora Avenue.

HARROGATE APARTMENTS, OAK BAY for those wanting the best. E 8358.

MT. EDWARDS, 1003 VANCOUVER ST. Unfurnished suite, two bedrooms, sitting-room, kitchen and bath. Newly decorated. Heat, hot water, elevator.

MODERN, SUNNY, 3-ROOM UNFURnished apartment; including water, $28. E 8616.

MANOR MANSIONS, LOVELY MODERN apartment in beautiful locality. G 6126.

MONICA COURT — NICE FIVE-ROOM suite, electric stove, fireplace. E 2325.

NICE MODERN APARTMENTS FOR rent; by day, week or month. On sea front; consensual surroundings. Apply to Mrs. Betts in person, 1785 Ross St. E 7809.

PARTLY FURNISHED SELF-CONtained suite, three large rooms, separate bathroom, basement, garage, large grounds. Equimalt, city limits. Owner. G 4885.

PLEASANT FRONT SUITE, UNFURnished. 340 Linden Avenue.

ROSEBERRY HOUSE, 577 MICHIGAN, near Govt., comfortable 4-room upper flat, $22.50. G 2410.

STOBART APTS., HEART OF BUSINESS theatre dist.; housekeeping and sleeping; elevator, fireproof; day, week or moreduced rates; transients. G 6048. 745 Yates.

TWO-ROOMED PARTLY-FURNISHED apartment, 356 Simcoe Street.

3-ROOM FLAT, FIREPLACE, SUNPORCH, marine view, $25. E 2636.

53 FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT (Continued)

707 BLANSHARD ST., 3-ROOM SUITES, furn., h.w.b. Also single h.k.

SEACROFT—VICTORIA'S MOST BEAUtiful sea-view apartment. G 8112.

BEVERLY HOTEL
Next Door to Everything in Town

THE BEVERLY IS A HOME FOR YOU while you are away from HOME. 80 rooms, nicely furnished, for TRANSIENT travel. Our cosy LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING rooms or suites cuts your expense in half. Many people are using them. Fine elevator, steam heated, unlimited hot water. Large comfy lounge for guests. Private baths. ALWAYS COME TO THE BEVERLY HOTEL. Rates very reasonable, for day, week or month.

JAMES A. GRIFFITH—
Owner and Operator. Phone G 0276

WELL-FURNISHED APARTMENT—Three bedrooms, large living-room, open fireplace, steam heat; walking distance town and sea. garage. $55 a month for 9 months. Box 5956, Colonist.

4-ROOM APARTMENT, MODERN, FIREplace. Frigidaire, garage; near park, car. E 1942, 217 Cook Street.

2 AND 3-ROOM SUITES—LIGHT, HEAT included. Scott Apartments. G 0268.

600 GORGE ROAD E. ("IVANHOE")—Furn. 3-room apts; 10 mins. town.

54 FLATS AND APARTMENTS WANTED

SMALL FURNISHED APARTMENT wanted, walking distance of Jubilee Hospital. Box 5711, Colonist.

55 HOUSES TO RENT

DUPLEX, 3 OR 5 ROOMS, CLOSE IN. Phone E 3065. No children.

FIVE-ROOM STUCCO, NORTH QUADRA, automatic heating and air-conditioning, water heater, electric range, two lots in rockery and garden. E 9967.

55A FURNISHED

FURNISHED, TWO BEDROOMS, DINing-room, kitchen, phone, water. $35. 1251 Pandora Avenue. Owner. E 2848.

FULLY-FURNISHED 3-ROOMED SEMIbungalow, modern. E 0746.

FOUR ROOMS AND BATH, $25, WATER included. 801 Collinson Street.

GONZALES BAY—FOUR-ROOM BUNGAlow; sea; garage. Phone E 2456.

SEAFRONT—NEW COUNTRY COTTAGE, well furnished, fully modern, electric, city, running water, on highway. Apply, J. Palmer, Saltair.

TO LET — FOUR-ROOM DUPLEX, lovely location, walking distance. Available April 15. Phone G 2050.

$30 — WELL FURNISHED HOUSE, $2 blankets, etc. Garage, sea view. Bushby Street. Immediate possession. Permanent. G 1802.

55B UNFURNISHED

3415 QUADRA ST., 5 rooms, furnace, garage ... $30.00
925 EMPRESS AVE., 8-roomed bungalow, furnace, garage ... $35.00
445 GORGE ROAD, 8 rooms, furnace, garage ... $17.50
1503 HILLSIDE AVE., 6 rooms, furnace, garage ... $20.00
131 SOUTH TURNER ST., 2 rooms, duplex, including water ... $20.00
131 SOUTH TURNER ST., 4 rooms, duplex, including water ... $25.00
1538 AMPHION ST., 5 rooms, furnace ... $20.00
1004 RUSSELL ST., 4 rooms, apartment, including water ... $15.00
32 BUSHBY ST., 6 rooms, furnace, garage ... $20.00
108 JOSEPH ST., 5 rooms, furnace ... $18.50

E. E. HEATH
625 Yates Street. Phone E 4041

99 BATTLEFORD AVE., 5 rooms ... $13.50
121 BURNSIDE RD., 4 rooms ... 14.00
410 YOUNG ST., 5 rooms ... 17.00
923 JOHNSON ST., 7 rooms ... 17.50
923 VIEW ST., 8 rooms ... 20.00
GLANFORD AVE., 6 rooms ... 20.00
3824 MILLGROVE ST., 7 rooms ... 22.50
841 FULLERTON ST., 6 rooms ... 22.50
622 COVENTRY ST., 7 rooms ... 25.00
740 VICTORIA AVE., 8 rooms ... 25.00
1400 CLIFFORD ST., 8 rooms ... 30.00
902 CRAIGFLOWER RD., 8 rooms ... 35.00
3367 LOCWOOD AVE., 5 rooms, new stucco ... 35.00
1350 TATTERSALL DRIVE, 9 rooms ... 35.00

P. R. BROWN & SONS, LTD
1112 Broad Street. Phone G 7171

1208 FINLAYSON AVE., 8 rooms ... $18
317 SIMCOE ST., 5 rooms ... 20
3591 COOK ST., 5 rooms ... 25
351 ROBERTSON ST., 5-room bungalow, oil heating ... $27.50
687 OLIVER ST., 5 rooms, stucco, vacant April 15 ... 35
3870 QUADRA ST., 5 rooms, stucco, good garden ... 35
788 OLIVER ST., 5 rooms ... $42.50
188 BEACH DRIVE, 6 rooms ... 50

PEMBERTON & SON, LTD.
625 Fort Street. Phone G 8124

186 BEACH DRIVE, 6 rooms, modern, hot water heating ... $40.00
143 WELLINGTON AVE., 7 rooms, furnace ... 25.00
2618 GRAHAM ST., 8 rooms ... 25.00
TEN MILE POINT, Summer cottage, furnished, electric light, water ... $15.00

ELSIE B. RICHARDS
808 Courtney Street. E 7723

OAK BAY—7 and 8-room houses ... $45.00
OAK BAY—8 rooms, near sea ... 40.00
ESQUIMALT—New duplex in 1 acre, 5 large rooms ... $40.00
ESQUIMALT—6-room duplex ... $35.00
OAK BAY—New 5-room bungalow, $35.00
CLOSE IN—5 rooms ... $15.00
1503 HILLSIDE AVE. — 8-room family house ... $20.00

COLES, HOWELL & CO. LTD
638 View Street. G 1032

2732 BOWKER, 5 rooms, garage ... $22.50
1028 BUTLED, 5 rooms, redecorated ... 27.50
2663 ORCHARD, 8 rooms, garage ... 40.00
2495 ESTEVAN, 7 rooms, stucco ... 45.00
800 ST. CHARLES, 10 rooms, oil furnace ... 75.00

HEISTERMAN FORMAN & CO.
608 View Street. Phone E 4161

A TWO-ROOMED COTTAGE FOR RENT or sale. Phone G 8095.

ESQUIMALT—SIX-ROOM APARTMENT in lovely residence, beautiful garden, furnace, fireplaces. Linoleums, cookstove. E 3972.

FIVE ROOMS, $16. 5 rooms, $22.50. 7 rooms, $22.50. 7 rooms, $25. 4 rooms, furnished, $20. 5 rooms, furnished, $45, and many others. Apply George Randall, 1303 Douglas Street. G 7241.

FOR RENT, PARTLY FURNISHED 4-roomed cottage with large basement and chicken houses, on Grange Road, Marigold. $20. Fort & Company. Q 3541.

FOR RENT, 925 ADMIRALS ROAD, from April 1. Apply T. P. McConnell, 120 Pemberton Building.

MOVING PACKING STORAGE PHONE Heaney's. G 1194. A representative will call and explain our service.

MOVING? READ THE INSIDE OF THE back cover of your telephone book.

NEW FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW, ELECtric stove, furnace, water heater. Orchard at Newport. $42.50. G 8888.

SIX-ROOMED MODERN HOUSE FOR rent, cement basement, garage, fruit trees, with garden. Princess Avenue. $18. Phone E 6420.

SIX-ROOM BUNGALOW, INSIDE LIKE new. 127 3a. 2349 Blackwood.

THREE-ROOMED CABIN WITH ORchard, garden. Apply E. J. Noury, Sooke.

TO LET—710 WILSON STREET, FIVE rooms, $18.50. Foot & Company. G 5541.

TO RENT—SIX-ROOM HOUSE, JAMES Bay. Phone E 2619.

625 DUNEDIN STREET—PARTLY FURnished. Apply to owner, 3450 Whittier Avenue.

57 WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES

KINDLY LIST YOUR RENTALS WITH US—WE HAVE MANY CLIENTS WAITING.

ISLAND INVESTMENT CO. LTD
1006 Broad Street. G 7146-7

57 WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES (Continued)

WANTED — THE LISTINGS OF YOUR houses, flats and apartments. Our rental department has tenants waiting. Prompt attention given to all listings. George Randall, 1303 Douglas St. G 7241.

57A FURNISHED

FURNISHED COTTAGE WANTED—AT Lansford Lake for July. Send particulars to G. W. Robinson, 1220 Broad Street. Phone E 6212.

WANTED—WELL FURNISHED HOUSE or apartment for some months by reliable couple, beginning in April. Oak Bay or Uplands preferred. Box 5931, Colonist.

57B UNFURNISHED

RELIABLE COUPLE WISHES TO RENT small house with garden, cheap. Box 5903, Colonist.

61 SUMMER RESORTS

61A COTTAGES AND CAMPSITES

AT CADBORO—TWO-ROOM FURNISHED cabin, $5 monthly. Carr, 1131 Grant.

SHAWNIGAN LAKE — FOUR-ROOMED cottage on waterfront. Trade for Brentwood property. $800. W. O. Wallace, 215 Scollard Building. E 6625.

SUMMER COTTAGE, CORDOVA BAY, open fireplace. $400. E 6201.

65 AUTOMOBILES

TIRES

CAR BATTERY, ONLY $4.98. BRAND new. Put out by national manufacturer. Modern. Will carry full load. Early season bargain. Tarascon Bros., 1111 Blanshard Street.

65A FOR SALE

A WORKING MAN SAID—

"Bess Motors has the finest selections of Used Cars in Victoria, and I'm buying one from them because they are all shop serviced and road tested, which means they will give me many miles of carefree motoring."

FOR YOUR COMPARISON—

1921 CHEVROLET COACH—Has had only two owners since it was bought new. (Stock 251.) Down payment ... $115

1931 FORD COACH—You have to see this car to appreciate it is a real bargain. (Stock 241.) Down payment ... $90

1931 PLYMOUTH SEDAN — One of those popular four-cylinder cars. Has had one owner since new. The motor has been thoroughly reconditioned. (Stock 262.) Down payment ... $130

1932 STUDEBAKER 6-CYLINDER SEDAN—This is without a doubt a really marvelous used car regarding condition and price. (Stock 256.) Down payment ... $140

1930 BUICK COUPE — This car has six-wheel equipment and a trunk rack. Has had one owner since new, who has taken care of it in every way. (Stock 190.) Down payment ... $115

1927 CHEVROLET CABRIOLET—Don't miss this trim little car if you want the most of a big bargain. Low mileage. Fine motor. Immaculate interior. Original finish. Equipped with hot water heater and a new radio. (Stock 212.) Down payment ... $250

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85 FARMS FOR SALE
(Continued)

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THE BANKRUPTCY ACT

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE AUTHORIZED ASSIGNMENT OF HOGARTH'S, LIMITED (Ladies' Ready-to-Wear), Debtor

NOTICE is hereby given that Hogarth's Limited, made an authorized assignment on the 16th day of March, 1939, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of the Official Receiver, Court House, Victoria, B.C., on Friday the 31st day of March, 1939, at two-thirty in the afternoon.

To vote thereat, proofs of claims and proxies must be filed with me prior thereto.

Those having claims against the estate must file the same with the Custodian, or the Trustee when appointed, before distribution is made, otherwise the proceeds of the estate will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto without regard to such claims.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 17th day of March, 1939.

HAROLD G. HINTON, C.A.,
Custodian
807-817 Bank of Toronto Building,
Victoria, B.C.

CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS
Western Region

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Chief Engineer, Winnipeg, Manitoba, until twelve o'clock (noon Thursday, March 30th, 1939, for the construction under the track of a stream, Saltchuk, four (4) feet by five feet by two hundred and ninety-six feet long, excavating a trench at mile 9.5, Yale Sub, on Kamloops and Chilliwack, B.C.

Plans, specifications and form of contract may be seen and form of tender obtained at the offices of the District Engineer, Winnipeg; District Engineer, Vancouver and Division Engineer, Victoria, B.C.

Tender will not be considered unless made on forms supplied by the Railway Company and accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank equal to five per cent of the value of the work, payable to the order of the Treasurer, Canadian National Railways. No bid bonds will be accepted with tenders on this work.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

A. E. WARREN, Vice-President
Winnipeg, Man., March 17th, 1939.

THE VICTORIA LUMBER & MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual general meeting of the above-named company will be held at the head office of the company, Number 918 Government Street, in the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia (the office of Lawson & Bayley), on Tuesday, the 4th day of April, 1939, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving and dealing with the annual balance sheet of the company and the auditor's report thereon, electing the directors of the company, and appointing the auditors of the company for the ensuing year, confirming the payment of all dividends paid during the year 1938, confirming all other acts of the directors since the last annual general meeting of the company, and such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., the 1st day of March, A.D., 1939.

A. E. P. STUBBS,
Assistant Secretary.

DISTRICT VICTORIA SCHOOLS

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Secretary, Victoria School Board, up to 20th March, 1939, for the position of dental assistant for Victoria City Schools.

Position will require full time services from 9 o'clock to 4 o'clock during school terms, and initial salary will be at the rate of $1050 per school year.

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Victoria, B.C., March 16, 1939.

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It would be hard to find a more suitable house for an elderly couple than this attractive five-room bungalow. It has a bright living-room with open fire and built-in bookcases, fine room and large dining-room and hall all have oak floors. The kitchen is equipped for eats and there are two cheerful bedrooms and three-piece bathroom. There is a part concrete basement and an automatic furnace. The lot is laid out in lawn and garden and it is close to street car and can be bought for $1800

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On Tuesday, March 21
At 1 o'Clock

Having received instructions from R. R. Hooke, Archland Lane, off Mills Crossroad, near Patricia Bay, I will sell the following: 4 team work horses and harness, 3 cows, 1 heifer, 3 calves, 12 very good ewes and lambs, 6 weak ewes, 20 laying hens, 6-foot Frost & Wood binder, 7 mowers—M H and McCormack, McCormack hay rake, land roller 4-sec. harrow, 2 walking ploughs, potato digger, M H disc, spade disc, 1 good farm wagon, 1 lay-wheel wagon, 2 one-horse cultivators, Ohio disase cutter with blower and pipes, Buck engine and belt attachments, 1 2-h.p. Fairbanks-Morse engine, M H 8-inch feed grinder, dinsmore A1 conditioner, 2 iron water troughs and shaftings complete, fitted with electric equipment and stations system, blacksmith's outfit, about an [illegible] tons of different kinds, set platform scales, 2 fanning mills, 2 feed grinders, 4 tons of good oat bundles, household goods, 4 beds, springs and mattresses, 4 dressers, easy chairs, settee, dining table and 5 chairs and buffet to match, Singer sewing machine, washing machine, canned fruit, some dishes, lot of glass washers and a lot of other things too numerous to mention. Terms, cash.

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On April 7

A. R. BLINKO'S AUCTION SALE ON HERD ROAD, DUNCAN

Of team of draft mares (heavy) in foal, cows, heifers and a full line of farm machinery. Full particulars later.

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MAPLE LEAFS WHIP RANGERS BY ODD GOAL

Lynn Patrick Serving Penalty When Goals Scored—Result, 2-1

TORONTO, March 18 (AP).—A second-period penalty to Lynn Patrick proved costly to New York Rangers tonight as they dropped a 2-1 decision to Toronto Maple Leafs. Both Toronto goals were scored while the big left winger was serving time for slashing.

A crowd of 11,195 fans saw the contest which held nothing at stake as the Rangers and Leafs had already clinched second and third play-off berths. The teams finish the National Hockey League season in a return battle in New York tomorrow night.

Line-ups:

Toronto — Broada; Kampman, Horner; Langelle; Kelly, Metz. Subs: Romnes, Marker, Chamberlain, Fowler, Hamilton, McDonald, Apps, Drillon, Davidson.

New York Rangers — Kerr; M. Patrick, Coulter; N. Colville; M. Colville, Shibicky. Subs: C. Smith, L. Patrick, Dillon, Heller, Pratt, Watson, Hextall, Hiller, Molyneaux.

Referee, Norm Lamport; linesman, Happy Day.

Summary

First period—1, Rangers, N. Colville (M. Patrick), 1:18. Penalties: Hiller, Heller.

Second period—2, Toronto, Chamberlain (Drillon, Apps), 17:38; 3, Toronto, Romnes (Kampman, Chamberlain), 18:59. Penalties: Coulter, Horner, L. Patrick.

Third period—No score. Penalties: M. Patrick, Hamilton, Molyneaux, Metz, McDonald.

ARCADE ALLEYS

CITY SENIOR TENPIN LEAGUE

Arcades — A. Benn, 511, C. Kerr, 560, C. Freer, 501, R. Semple, 497, R. Elwood, 550. Total, 2,619.

Colonist — W. Templeton, 577, Low Score, 491, B. Peden, 514, A. Hawkins, 536, Low Score, 438. Total, 2,576.

Colonist won two.

Poodle Dog Cafe — A. Potter, 567, A. Riddell, 530, J. Howell, 554, J. Ferguson, 538, R. Wilson, 567. Total, 2,746.

Five Roses Flour — I. Malcolm, 500, C. Steele, 519, H. Moulton, 554, J. Leetham, 616, J. Quinn, 526. Total, 2,715.

Poodle Dog Cafe won two.

COMMERCIAL TENPIN LEAGUE

Colonist — E. Borde, 482, K. Matthews, 458, A. Stokes, 441, W. Sturken, 463, R. Turner, 490. Total, 2,332.

Arcades — J. Angus, 552, A. Spouse, 516, J. Stewart, 487, A. Tripp, 528, J. Temple, 556, handicap, 9. Total, 2,648.

Arcades won three.

Beavers — G. Andrews, 516, R. Mercer, 385, R. Hibberd, 410, B. McKeever, 452, L. Allen, 447, handicap, 84. Total, 2,294.

Eagles — W. Holness, 383, A. Potts, 525, H. McDonald, 433, J. Patterson, 497, D. Easter, 466, handicap, 33. Total, 2,339.

Beavers won two.

Coach and Horses — R. Heal, 443, A. Nunn, 452, F. Ruell, 570. Total, 1,465.

Coach and Horses won three by default.

CANADIAN LEGION FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Britannia — D. Clarke, 874, H. Baker, 571, V. Scarborough, 462, J. Huxtable, 583, H. Pickup, 699. Total, 2,989.

Pro Patria — R. Lee, 604, H. Wilkinson, 702, G. Rawlinson, 538, W. Talbot, 484, C. Pickle, 672. Total, 3,000.

Naval Vets — J. McBain, 603, W. Johnson, 417, A. Worth, 516, W. McBay, 848, C. Chislett, 586. Total, 2,770.

Pro Patria won two, Britannia won one.

WOMEN'S TENPIN LEAGUE

Huskies — E. Irvine, 555, I. Goodman, 528, E. McBeath, 499, M. Hurst, 415. Low Score, 378, handicap, 6. Total, 2,381.

Dynamiters — R. Mercer, 441, K. Freer, 387, F. Calder, 394, D. McAlpine, 397, M. Baker, 416, handicap, 256. Total, 2,293.

Huskies won two.

Brunsdons — A. Armstrong, 490, E. Peden, 405, M. Lindley, 418, B. Elvas, 484, D. Hume, 399. Total, 2,196.

Go-Gos — N. Burns, 363, C. Burley, 331, M. Worth, 475, A. Johnson, 366, Low Score, 272, handicap, 179. Total, 2,159.

Brunsdons won two.

Left-Overs — D. McBeath, 446, O. Elves, 401, V. Elwood, 458, E. Stewart, 437, J. Hibberd, 504, handicap, 18. Total, 2,264.

Nine-Pinners — I. Stables, 362, K. Cameron, 393, A. Watson, 400, M. Crowe, 445, H. Grey, 422, handicap, 330. Total, 2,352.

Nine-Pinners won two.

BETTER HALVES' FIVEPIN LEAGUE

"A" Team — B. Jenkins, 533, A. Pellow, 428, O. Prior, 297, A. Jarvie, 298. Total, 1,556.

"B" Team — M. Chambers, 416, R. Williams, 458, I. Mitchell, 269, E. Rundell, 377. Total, 1,518.

"C" Team — J. Peirson, 619, D. Hull, 472, M. Pollard, 468, O. Fane, 319. Total, 1,878.

"D" Team — A. Vivian, 413, O. Scott, 368, C. Ockenden, 464, T. Riley, 351. Total, 1,614.

"E" Team — D. Thirwall, 538, W. Blance, 403, W. Prevost, 303, R. Riches, 452. Total, 1,694.

OLYMPIC ALLEYS

SENIOR TENPIN LEAGUE

Five Roses — I. Malcolm, 609, G. Cliff, 638, H. Moulton, 578, C. Steele, 546, A. Falk, 546. Total, 2,907.

Straith's Ltd. — H. Paulding, 565, A. Riddell, 598, J. Howell, 581, T. Bowden, 522, J. Ferguson, 577. Total, 2,840.

Five Roses won three.

Poodle Dog Cafe — S. Oldham, 595, F. Young, 498, A. Condon, 576, Barrie, 529, White, 552. Total, 2,752.

Watson's Men's Wear — W. Johnston, 526, G. Law, 557, H. Jealouse, 532, R. Elwood, 537, L. Fox, 561. Total, 2,692.

Poodle Dog Cafe won two.

VARSITY TAKES RUGBY HONORS

Whips Marpole, 9-6, in Cup Final—Will Meet Oak Bay Wanderers Saturday

VANCOUVER, March 18 (CP).—Varsity frosh qualified to meet Oak Bay Wanderers, Victoria city champions, for the Province Cup and the British Columbia intermediate Rugby championship here next Saturday by defeating Marpole, 9-6, two tries and a penalty goal, to two tries, in the final for the Vancouver Rugby Union second division championship today.

By their victory the frosh captured the Bell-Irving Cup.

Jim Biggin scored an unconverted try for Marpole in the first few minutes on a solo run, but Don McLeod, Varsity fullback, leveled the count with a penalty kick from forty yards out. At half-time the score was tied at 3-3.

Don Johnston put the frosh ahead shortly after resuming when he went over from a five-yard scrum, and Ken Williamson registered another try to end a fine three-quarter run. In the last minute Turner Rowan plunged over for Marpole with two or three opponents hanging to his back.

Varsity won the Tisdall Cup by defeating Rowing Club, 11-8, one goal and two tries, to a goal and a try, in the final of the seven-a-side tournament in which eight teams participated.

SAANICH LED IN BUILDING

Marked Activity in Construction Evident in Adjacent Municipality

With a total of twelve permits, representing an expenditure of $13,975, Saanich was well ahead in the building activity of the municipalities surrounding Victoria during the past week. Permits were issued for new buildings to a total of $12,650, and additions and improvements to existing buildings account for the remaining $1,325.

In Saanich, a five-roomed dwelling costing $2,600, will be erected on Camrose Avenue for an owner whose name is not disclosed.

J. Cadenhead will build a five-roomed home on Rockwell Avenue at a cost of $2,500.

On Linwood Avenue, Victor Holker will erect a four-roomed house to cost $1,850.

Two houses containing four rooms each and costing $1,600 each have been granted permits. One will be in Saanich Road with Eric H. Porter as owner and the other will be put up by Mrs. E. H. Hitchin on Earl Grey Street.

Mrs. D. Doig will erect an addition to her home on Lansdowne Road at a cost of $1,400.

On Cedar Hill Road, D. J. Macdonald will build a three-roomed dwelling at a cost of $1,200.

In Oak Bay, a permit was taken out by E. S. Cross for a four-roomed house to cost $1,800.

WILL ELECT OFFICERS

The Victoria chapter of Associated Radio Technicians of British Columbia will hold its annual general meeting and election of officers for the current year at the Royal Colwood Golf Club on Wednesday next. The business meeting will commence at 5 p.m., and the banquet to follow will be held in the club dining-room at 7 p.m. A large delegation of members from the Up-Island section of the association is expected to be present, and also delegates from the parent body in Vancouver.

Your Health and Your Weight

THYROID EXTRACT IN CURES FOR OBESITY-OVERWEIGHT

By JAS. W. BARTON, M.D.

It is unfortunate that so many of the advertisements telling the merits of certain cures for obesity or overweight state that the users of these cures will not have to cut down on their food intake and will not have to take exercise. If with the "cure" these advertisers would send along (and some of them do) some scientifically arranged reducing diets and "safe" exercises, the reduction in diet and increase in exercise would help the "cure" to reduce the weight and increase the strength and well-being of the individual.

It is known that a number of the "cures" for overweight contain thyroid extract, and in the cases where lack of thyroid extract in the blood is causing the overweight, the use of thyroid extract daily gives excellent results.

However these cases of overweight due to lack of thyroid juice or extract are usually recognized by the physician who, before giving the thyroid extract, has the individual undergo what is called the metabolism test which measures the rate at which the body processes are working.

"When there is a deficiency of thyroid juice, the rate at which the body processes work is slowed up generally with very evident and striking results. One of the conditions produced by lack of enough thyroid juice is known as myxedema. In this condition as an evidence of "sluggishness" of the body processes, there is a great excess of weight, the skin becomes dry and wrinkled, the hair falls out, the mind is dulled, and the skin becomes so markedly thickened and lustreless (waxy) as to give the unfortunate individual a very peculiar appearance. This peculiar appearance disappears when thyroid extract is given, weight is lost, and the individual remains practically normal as long as the thyroid extract is given. The thyroid extract "speeds up" the body processes and burns up fat quickly.

What about the overweight individual whose excess weight is not due to lack of thyroid extract, but who takes thyroid extract to reduce his weight?

In an article in Hygeia entitled "The Weigh of the Transgressor," Robert A. Kilduff says:

"The automobile driver knows that excessive and uncontrolled engine speed means excessive and uncontrolled wear and tear, and, eventually, breakdown. The bodily engine is no exception to this rule. The uncontrolled use of thyroid extract, if persisted in, will surely lead to a bodily breakdown; usually of the heart muscle, which, instead of running along quietly, has had to race at breakneck speed, and the after-effect of over-stimulation is fatigue. This is one of Nature's laws. Thyroid extract can be used to reduce weight, but it should always be used with the utmost caution and under strict supervision, never unknowingly, and never without a careful watch for its dangerous effects. The evil and sometimes disastrous effects which have followed the careless and often unwitting use of this drug are the main reasons why fat cures containing thyroid extract have fallen into disfavor and ill repute."

Thyroid extract given in cases where the overweight was not due to lack of thyroid juice has caused cases of the severe form of goitre and even death. A number of such cases was reported some years ago by the Lahey Clinic, Boston.

The thought, then, about the use of thyroid extract in reducing weight is that it is of great help in all cases where the thyroid is not as active as it should be. Sometimes the amount of juice is very slightly below normal and in these cases thyroid extract is also of help in reducing weight.

It should never be forgotten, however, that in all cases of overweight, whether or not they are due to a deficiency or lack of thyroid extract in the blood, cutting down on the food intake, particularly starches, fats and liquids, is necessary to produce satisfactory results.

Jane Dixon Says:

A WOMAN WHOSE GREAT THIRST FOR LIQUOR MAKES HER NEGLECT HER HOME IS AN ABOMINATION.

A husband who sacrifices his home and his happiness to his appetite is a pretty poor paised sort of a fellow, but somehow he does not seem as big an abomination in the sight of his fellows as does the wife who commits the same offence.

Dear Miss Dixon: Please tell me what you think of this husband and wife, and what you advise for them.

The husband is clever and hard-working. He turns his cheque over to his wife regularly. He is attentive to her in every way; never goes out without her—not even to clubs or to any kind of stag parties.

In contrast to the wife, who is the litterbug type, the husband is quiet and composed. She has to be the centre of attraction at all times. When he tries to carry on a conversation with anyone, she butts in and takes it away from him. She is a slovenly housekeeper and no cook at all. Even when she is sober she is very overbearing, but when she is drinking she is unbearable. He is good-hearted and generous. She is cold-hearted and stingy.

The husband puts up with this, allows her to embarrass him in front of his friends, and restrains himself until she is drunk and he has had some drinks, too; then he slaps her. Of course he never would do it if he was sober, but she is the one who wants to drink in the home all the time. She buys it herself. When he tries to keep drink away from her, she sulks and acts very ugly.

How do you think this man should go to work to straighten out his life with a woman who, instead of entertaining a few friends with a nice luncheon and perhaps bridge parties—only thinks of buying a quart of liquor and encouraging everyone to get drunk while she does likewise?—"Questioner."

Comment: The first thing he should do is to stop turning over his cheque to a woman who has forfeited her right to such a trust. He should be the custodian of funds and should give her allowance to a sum which would make purchase of liquor difficult if not impossible. Instead of drinking with her and losing his temper, he should be enough of a man to refuse liquor himself and to walk away from her and leave her flat when she begins to get bleary.

The man's only chance of straightening out his life with the woman is to show a man's strength instead of behaving like a weakling.

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VICTORIA PAIR RIDING EIGHTH

Torchy and Doug Peden Two Laps Behind in San Francisco Race

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18 (AP).—As the six-day bicycle race neared the wind-up at 9.30 o'clock tonight, three teams remained in the lead, tied in mileage and laps, though the German team of Killian-Vopel was ahead on points. The Victoria combination of Torchy and Doug Peden was in eighth place.

The standings at 9.30 p.m. (1451th hour included):

	Miles	Laps	Pts.
Killian-Vopel	2,245	0	847
Ottavere-Audy	2,245	0	365
Reboli-O'Brien	2,245	0	326
Walthour-Crossley	2,244	9	482
Debaets-Rodman	2,244	9	256
Testa-Echeverria	2,244	9	192
Vaccino-Debacco	2,244	9	221
Peden-Peden	2,244	8	567
Crillo-Boellart	2,244	8	132
Shipman-Wissell	2,244	4	194

PLAY CONTINUES IN BOWLING MEET

Three doubles were played last night at the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion as bowlers continued their bids for the Victoria Carpet Bowling League championships. Results follow:

C. Storey and J. Dobbs 28, G. Knight and W. Roper 13; E. Logan and B. Jacklin 24, W. Mertton and R. Day 10; D. Swan and L. Wheeldon 23, W. Laing and S. Doncaster 10.

MONDAY'S DRAW

7:30 (Singles) — D. Ryles vs. G. Knight; D. Swan vs. H. Milnes.

8:30 (Triples)—R. W. Wilson, R. Pugh and P. Waterhouse vs. A. Byatt, A. Belcher and P. Walker; A. Slocomb, A. Hampton and R. Clark vs. D. Croston, A. Graham and W. Roberts; H. Pearson, F. C. Slydell and J. Green vs. J. Baron, B. Jacklin and J. Smith.

TUESDAY'S DRAW

8:00 (Doubles)—F. Holmes and G. Baird vs. W. Stockley and J. Baron; C. Nicholls and L. Dicks vs. J. Green and J. Hayward; W. Hislop and E. Barnes vs. H. Clear and J. Berwick.

Duncan Elks will visit Esquimalt today to play a return soccer match with the dockers at Bullen Park. The kick-off is set for 2.45 o'clock. In an earlier match played Up-Island, Esquimalt nosed out the Elks, 4-3.

EYE-APPEAL IS PLYMOUTH BOAST

New Plymouth models for 1939, rich in "eye-appeal" and with sweeping improvements for greater riding comfort, interior luxury, safety and performance, are offered at new low prices in this year's auto showing, as shining examples of the latest increase in value of the automobile dollar.

Bigger, roomier and better looking than ever before, the new Plymouths are built on a longer wheelbase of 114 inches, two inches longer than last year. Over-all length is 182 inches, exclusive of bumpers front and rear.

All models are completely restyled inside and out. A new Vee-type windshield adds more than six inches to body length above the belt. A longer hood now presents an added ten-inch sweep of painted surface that sweeps down to the new lower grille.

At the top of the list of Plymouth innovations for next year are new-type coil springs of Amola steel that give a 20 per cent softer ride; new remote-control gear shift on the steering column; new high-torque engine performance; new "true-steady" steering; a new all silent auto-mesh transmission and an ingenious new safety feature—a "safety signal" speedometer that flashes warning lights of different colors at various car speeds.

The complete Plymouth line for 1939 includes five "Roadking" and eight De Luxe body types, all on 114-inch wheelbase and powered with the same new 82-horsepower engine of L-head design. The new Amola steel coil front springs are standard equipment on all models throughout the line.

This year's grille is a new development of the latest horizontal pattern, and introduces the "lateral airfoil" motif, a rich pattern of chromium strips and parallel louvres in body color curve slightly forward each side of a bright center strip, then sweep back like an airplane fuselage to form the sides of the hood.

Eleven chromium bars accent the contour of the grille louvres in a curved "V" pattern—like the tall, sharp prow of the

WILL VISIT ROYAL JUBILEE HOSPITAL

Lord and Lady Tweedsmuir to Inspect Institution on Thursday—Directors Meet

At the meeting of the board of directors of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Friday evening, it was announced that Their Excellencies Lord and Lady Tweedsmuir would visit the hospital on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

During February, 465 patients were admitted to the institution, and the average daily number of patients was 316. Births during the month totaled forty.

Congratulations were extended to the Women's Auxiliary on the success of their recent linen shower, which will provide a needed supply of linen for the hospital.

The annual graduation exercises will be held on May 4 at the Royal Victoria Theatre.

Plans for a parking space for cars belonging to doctors were authorized. Considerable renovation work was discussed, but held in abeyance for further information. F. E. Winslow was in the chair.

LIKELY

Two teams of dentists arranged a football match. A draw seems probable.

ADDS TO SENTENCE

WINNIPEG, March 18 (CP). — Arthur Wurch, who escaped last March from Stony Mountain Penitentiary while serving a term for robbery and burglary, was sentenced here to a year for jail breaking. With the additional year, he will now serve eleven years in Stony Mountain Penitentiary.

A PRECAUTION

Maid—But I cleaned all the silverware only Wednesday last.

Mrs.—Clean it again. There's an epidemic of burglary in this neighborhood and I'd hate to have it go out looking like it does.

TIME OUT! - - - By Chet Smith

I'll never play with another plumber—he always has to go back for his clubs!

Remember the time last Summer you wouldn't concede me that two-foot putt!

Wish I knew where I could lay my hands on a couple of bucks to stick on "Sugar Plum" in the fifth!

LIFE'S LIKE THAT - By Fred Neher

"That's the Big Dipper just above Mr. O'Reilly's night shirt."

ROY POWERS, KING'S SCOUT

Reviewed and Approved by Dominion Headquarters, The Boy Scouts' Association.

By Martha Orr

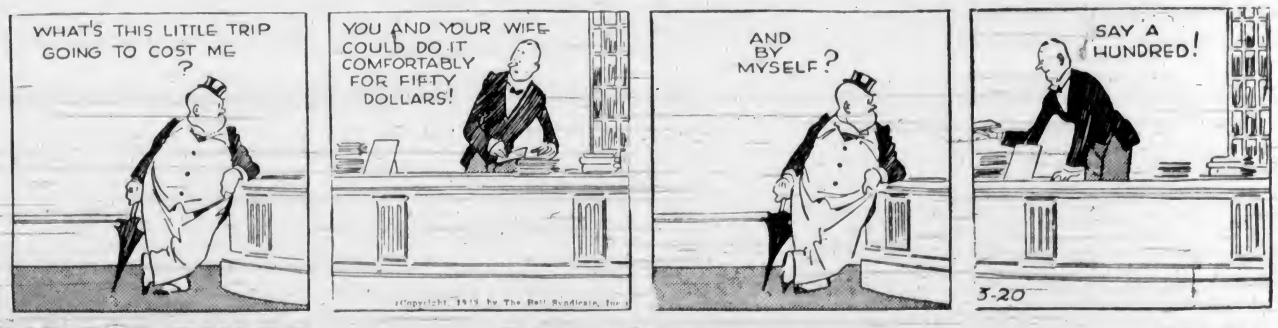
APPLE MARY

BACHELOR GIRLS — *Escape* — By Frank Ellis

BIG CHIEF WAHOO - - - - - - By Saunders and Woggon

POPEYE

POP — *When a Wife Is an Economy* — By J. Millar Watt



TILLIE THE TOILER — *Unexpected Competition* — By Westover

COUNCIL WILL MEET MONDAY

Continuation of Trams for Three Years to Be Passed On by Taxpayers

A recommendation of the franchise committee that taxpayers be asked to pass on acceptance of an agreement with the B.C. Electric Railway Company, Ltd., covering the continuation of street cars for three years will be dealt with at a City Council meeting at 8 o'clock tomorrow night. It is anticipated that a plebiscite will be held next month.

Action will be taken on a letter from the retail merchants' section of the Chamber of Commerce suggesting that city stores be open from noon to 8 o'clock at night on May 30 during the Royal visit, and that all war veterans in employment be given ample time off the same day.

A second letter from the same Chamber of Commerce group suggests that Summer entertainment be planned to prolong the stay of tourists here, and that a band shell be constructed in one of the parks.

NEW TAX FORMS

A communication from the Corporation of Coldstream urging the council to support a resolution suggesting to the Provincial Government that the power of municipalities be extended to tax forms of wealth other than land in order to relieve the tax burden will be discussed.

By-laws before the council include the annual tax by-law setting the tax rate at forty-one mills on 100 per cent of the value of land and 65 per cent of the value of improvements; a by-law to set a rate of one cent per square foot of boulevard maintenance; another to set a rate of five cents per front foot for cluster light maintenance; a by-law to increase the aldermen's remuneration to $50 per month, and amendments to the streets traffic regulation by-law creating a fifteen-mile-per-hour zone on Pandora Avenue at Camosun Street, and on St. Charles Street at Despard Avenue.

Flying Newspapermen Halt at Lethbridge

Above are shown members of the newspapermen's party which has just completed a trans-continental flight on Trans-Canada Air Lines, as they stopped briefly at Lethbridge. The local party arrived back in this city from Montreal yesterday. Those in the photo, reading from left to right, are: Al Williamson, of The Vancouver News-Herald; Hugh C. MacCallum, of The Victoria Daily Colonist; Aubrey Roberts, of The Vancouver Province; James Dyer, Vancouver Sun and Tom Merriman, Victoria Daily Times.

Military Activities

5TH B.C. COAST BRIGADE, R.C.A.

Brigade orders by Lieut.-Colonel V. McKenna, M.C., officer commanding.

Part I

Orderly Duties—Duties for week ending March 25, 1939: Orderly officer, Lieut. D. C. Barker; next for duty, Lieut. R. L. Buller. Orderly sergeant, L.-Sgt. P. C. Mellander; next for duty, L.-Sgt. W. N. Armstrong. Orderly bombardier, Bdr. J. W. Hunt; next for duty, L.-Bdr. E. A. Bray. Orderly trumpeter, Tpr. H. W. Thompson.

Parades—All units of the brigade will parade at the Armoury on Tuesday, March 21, 1939. Dress: Civilian clothing. Fall-in at 19:15 hours under R.S.M. Williams.

Supper will be served to all ranks at 18:15 hours.

Recruits will parade at 19:15 hours under the recruiting sergeant.

Signallers will parade at 20:00 hours.

All units of the brigade will also parade at the Armoury on Friday, March 24, 1939. Dress: Civilian clothing. Fall-in at 20:00 hours under R.S.M. Williams.

Sergeants' Mess Annual Meeting—The annual meeting of the Sergeants' Mess will be held in the Mess on Thursday evening, April 6, 1939, at 20:15 hours. Dress: Civilian clothing. All members are urged to attend.

F. T. McINTOSH, Lieut.,
Adjt., 5th B.C. Coast Brigade, R.C.A.

17th FORTRESS COY., ROYAL CANADIAN ENGINEERS (N.P.)

Orders for the week ending March 21, 1939, by Major J. H. McIntosh, Officer Commanding.

Part I

Parades—The 17th Fortress Coy., R.C.E., will parade at Coy. H.Q. at 20:00 hours, Tuesday, March 21, 1939. Dress, mufti.

Duties—To be orderly officer for the ensuing week, 2nd Lieut. W. H. Sparkes; to be orderly sergeant for ensuing week, S.-Sgt. J. Carter.

Notice—All ranks who have not already done so will bring in their service jackets and trousers for alteration by the tailor.

J. H. McINTOSH, Major,
O.C. 17th Fortress Coy., R.C.E. (N.P.).

No. 11 DISTRICT STORE SECTION, ROYAL CANADIAN ORDNANCE CORPS (N.P.)

Orders by Capt. H. Collings, M.B.E., Officer Commanding.

Part I

Parades—No. 11 District Store Section, R.C.O.C., will parade at unit headquarters, Signal Hill, Esquimalt, at 20:00 hours, Thursday, March 23, 1939. Dress, drill order.

Duties—Orderly sergeant for week ending March 25, Sergt. G. S. Carr; next for duty, Sergt. E. D. Carter.

H. COLLINGS, Capt.,
Officer Commanding.

1st BN. (16th C.E.F.) CANADIAN SCOTTISH REGIMENT

Battalion orders by Major E. A. Henderson, officer commanding.

Part I

Orderly Duties—Orderly duties for week ending March 25, 1939: Orderly officer, 2nd Lieut. R. W. Kirkwood; next for duty, Lieut. K. S. Crabtree. Orderly sergeant, A.-Sgt. S. James. Orderly corporal, L.Cpl. S. C. Martin; next for duty, L.-Cpl. R. I. C. Ridley. Orderly bugler, Sgt.-Bugler B. Drysdale; next for duty, Bugler L. Howe. Duty company, "C" Company; next for duty, "D" Company.

Battalion Training Parade, Monday, March 20, 1939—All ranks will parade in company rooms at 19:55 hours. Dress, drill order. Training will be in accordance with syllabus published at headquarters.

Recruits' Training, Monday, March 20, and Thursday, March 23, 1939—Recruits will assemble for training on these dates at 20:00 hours.

King's Guard Training, Thursday, March 23, 1939—Personnel for this guard will parade at 20:00 hours. Dress, drill order. Attendance at all King's guard training parades is essential for selection.

Clothing—Kilts and plaids will be turned in immediately by the Pipe Band for cleaning.

Lapel Badge Award—The following N.C.O. has been awarded the lapel badge: 1837 A.-Sgt. A. Gorse, "B" Company.

Part II

Transfer—2nd Lieut. R. B. Fox from No. 4 Platoon, "H.Q." Company to No. 1 Platoon, "H.Q." Coy., as signalling officer, 20-10-38.

W. H. PARKER, Capt.,
Adjt., 1st Bn. Can. Scottish Regt.

Notice

Ex-officers of the battalion are asked to attend a meeting to be held on Thursday, March 23, 1939, in the regimental officers' mess.

2nd BN. (M.G.) CANADIAN SCOTTISH REGIMENT

Battalion orders by Lieut.-Col. Walter Bapty, officer commanding.

Part I

Orderly Duties—Duties for week ending March 25, 1939: Orderly officer, 2nd Lieut. P. D. Crofton; next for duty, 2nd Lieut. H. L. Alexander. Orderly sergeant, Sgt. H. Nicholls; next for duty, A.-Sgt. A. G. Smith. Orderly piper, Piper E. Crabbe; next for duty, Piper F. Miller.

Indenting by Companies — All company commanders will indent on Ordnance for supply of overalls. Size-rolls will be submitted with indents.

Allotment of Regimental Numbers—"D" company have been allotted a further block of numbers commencing with 1501 to 1599. The stretcher bearer section have been allotted a block from 1600 to 1699. Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Platoons a block from 1300 to 1500.

Part II

Attestation—1354 Pte. C. D. Woodward, No. 3 Pltn., "H.Q." Coy., 19-2-39.

Attachment—2nd Lieut. W. J. M. Tater is attached to the B.C. University Contingent from 9-1-39 to 31-3-39. (D.O. 75 of 1939).

Strength Decrease—1345 Pte. G. S. Lapadat, "H.Q." with effect from 13-3-39.

D. G. CROFTON, Capt.,
Adjt., 2nd Bn. (M.G.) Can. Scottish Regiment.

R.C.A.S.C.

6th Division Petrol Company
2nd Composite Company

Orders by Lieut.-Col. H. W. R. Allan, Officer Commanding:

Duties for the week ending March 25, 1939: Orderly officer, 2nd Lieut. H. T. Scott; next for duty, 2nd Lieut. R. MacLeod. Orderly sergeant, Sgt. Lowe; next for duty, Sgt. Creasor.

Parades — Both Companies will parade at the Armoury, Bay Street, Tuesday, March 21, 1939, at 20:00 hours. Dress: Drill Order. Training as laid down under C.S.M. Massey and Sgt. Branson.

All ranks who have not completed their targets for the inter-company cup competition will do so on Friday evening. These targets must be turned in not later than March 28.

K. E. MORRIS, Lieut.,
For Officer Commanding.

13th FIELD AMBULANCE, R.C.A.M.C. (N.P.)

Orders—Part I

Parade—The Unit will parade at the Armoury, Victoria, B.C., Tuesday, March 21, 1939, at 19:45 hours. Dress, mufti. Fall in, at 20:00 hours. Lecture, on "First Aid and Thomas Splint" at 20:15 hours. Drill, stretcher drill at 21:00 hours.

Orderly Duties—To be orderly officer for week ending March 21, 1939, Lieut. D. Roxbough; next for duty, Lieut. J. S. McCannell. To be orderly sergeant, Sergt. E. Jones; next for duty, S.-Sergt. J. Newbigging.

Part II

Strength Decrease—No. 101, Pte. J. D. Phillips, struck off strength, Pt. 2 O., No. 8, effective 14-3-39.

Leave of Absence—Major G. C. Kenning, R.C.A.M.C., O.C. 13th Field Amb., granted leave of absence from 9-3-39 to 25-3-39, during which period the command of the unit will be assumed by Capt. S. G. Kenning, R.C.A.M.C. D.O. No. 69, effective 2-3-39; Pt. 2 O., No. 8, effective 14-3-39. No. 48, L.-Cpl. S. Amos, No. 92 Pte. J. F. Tuffery, No. 121 Pte. A. I. Donald, granted leave from 14-3-39 to 20-3-39; Pt. 2 O., No. 8, effective 14-3-39.

C. A. WATSON, Capt., R.C.A.M.C.
A.-Adjt., 13th Field Ambulance.

No. 5 ARMY FIELD WORKSHOP, R.C.O.C. (N.P.)

Orders by Lieut. Col. H. E. Goodman, V.D., Officer Commanding:

Part I

Parade—The unit will parade at Signal Hill, Tuesday, 21-3-1939, at 20:00 hours. Dress: Drill Order.

Duties—Orderly officer for week ending 28-3-1939, Lieut. J. A. MacKay. Next for duty, Lieut. E. W. Branston.

J. A. BENNELL, Lieut.,
A.-Adjt., No. 5 Army Field Workshop, R.C.O.C.

CANADIAN CORPS OF COMMISSIONAIRES

Victoria (and V.I.) Company

Orders by Commander C. T. Beard, R.C.N., Commandant:

Orderly staff sergeant for the month ending March 31, 1939, Staff Sergt. Derbyshire. Next for duty, Staff Sergeant Marchant.

Orderly commissionaire, Commissionaire B. Skehan; next for duty, Commissionaire E. Perry.

Parade—There will be no parade Monday the 20th inst.

Strength—There are a few vacancies for smart ex-servicemen. All particulars can be obtained by applying at headquarters, 605 Courtney Street.

C. T. BEARD, R.C.N.,
Commandant, Commander.

According to Culbertson

"My dear Mr. Culbertson,—I speak to you as one kibitzer to another, because, after all, what is a bridge writer but a kibitzer with a pencil? You will, therefore, understand my language when I tell you that I saw a hand played the other night that entitles the declarer to a glorified niche in the hall of fame for lucky people. He should be at the Santa Anita race track or at Monte Carlo, or maybe he is doing just as well in the bridge clubs. Anyhow, just scrutinize the following package of horseshoes:

North, dealer.
North-South vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ A 9 5 3
♥ A K 6
♦ J 8 7
♣ 6 5 4

WEST
♠ 10 8 4 2
♥ J 9 7 5 3
♦ 6 5
♣ A 3

EAST
♠ K Q
♥ Q 10 8 4 2
♦ K 9 3
♣ Q J 10

SOUTH
♠ J 7 6
♥ —
♦ A Q 10 4 2
♣ K 9 8 7 2

"The bidding:

North	East	South	West
1 ♠	2 ♥	3 ♦	3 ♥
Pass	Pass	4 ♣	Pass
4 ♦	Pass	5 ♦	Pass
Pass	Pass		

"Regarding the bidding: The first bit of luck came when North opened the bidding with that high class collection of junk. Any time I open the bidding with this type of hand at one spade the next player passes, my partner bids two clubs, and there I am with no place to go. Oh, no! West intervened with three hearts and North could pass with a sigh of relief (and, incidentally, it was a very audible sigh, too).

"The next piece of luck that fell South's way was the opening lead. Normally a heart would be opened and thus declarer, with two entries to dummy, would be faced with the problem of how to play the hand. But did this happen here? Again, no! West dug up a spade lead. Dummy's only entry was wiped out in one fell swoop and declarer could play the hand in only one way. He had to discard the two losing spades on the ace-king of hearts and go after the trump suit. He had to find the king right and then hope he could guess the club situation.

"By the time declarer had drawn the trumps and was huddling over the club play I was pretty well steamed. No man had the right to get so many breaks in one hand. It may sound nasty, but I was hoping he'd guess wrong on the clubs. But not this lucky so-and-so. He led the nine of clubs, West played low, and East won with the ten. Declarer ruffed the spade return, and, without batting an eyelash, led the deuce of clubs, which was won by West's ace.

"That's the story, Mr. Culbertson. I realize I am biased, but I would like your opinion. How much luck and how much good play were concerned in the making of this contract?

"B.H.L., Los Angeles."

I am afraid my embittered correspondent is not giving South his just dues. Granting that the bidding was very fortunate for North-South, and further granting that the opening lead did not leave South much choice in the play of the hand, nevertheless his guess of the club situation was not luck. The opening spade lead certainly indicated that East held the king-queen of spades. That being the case, West must hold the club ace for his free raise. Missing the Q J 10 of clubs, declarer's only hope of losing two tricks in the suit was to find the ace doubleton. Ergo, the play was correct technically with a bit of luck thrown in as a reward.

TESDAY'S HAND

South, dealer.
North-South vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ A 6 3
♥ K 6 5
♦ Q 8 7 2
♣ K 6 5

WEST
♠ Q J 10 7 4
♥ 9 8 4 3
♦ A 3
♣ 9 4

EAST
♠ K 9 5 2
♥ J 10 7 2
♦ K
♣ Q J 10 8

SOUTH
♠ 8
♥ A Q
♦ J 10 9 6 5 4
♣ A 7 3 2

Mr. Culbertson will discuss this hand in Tuesday's column.

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Visitor Will Discuss Value of Spiritualism

At First Spiritualist Church, 1216 Broad Street, Lyceum will be held today at 11 o'clock with M. Oatway, conducting.

At the evening service at 7:30, the guest speaker will be Rev. Ada Garrad, Spiritualist missionary, who is known from coast to coast, and lately pastor for eight years in Calgary. Her subject will be "Spiritualism—Its Value." She will also give spirit greetings. The soloist will be Miss Mae Muir.

Some hysterical facts only known to certain schoolboys are that "a Kaiser is a stream of hot water jumping up and disturbing the earth," and that "Napoleon escaped from Melba"; also "an anachronism is a thing man puts in writing in the past before it has taken place in the future."

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Only by looking outside do you realize it's not quite Spring yet—for *you're breathing warm May-air, the kind you find on sunny meadows.*

It's blowing a gale out there—but your Nash steers no heavier than a wisp of cigarette smoke. And thanks to a special kind of soundproofing, you can almost *feel* the quiet.

And the road is rough . . . for the car ahead is pitching and tossing—but you skim along like an ice-boat!

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. . . but suddenly you see ahead of you, blue skies and fleecy clouds . . . trout streams white with foam . . . a sun-drenched beach down south . . .

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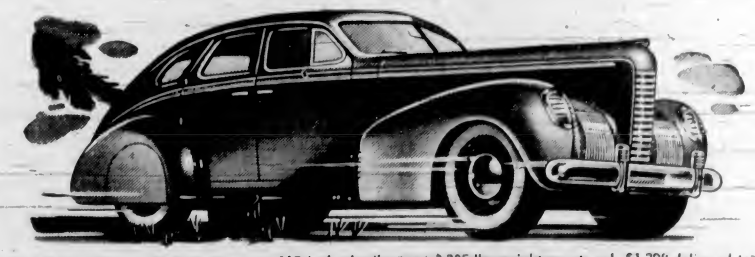

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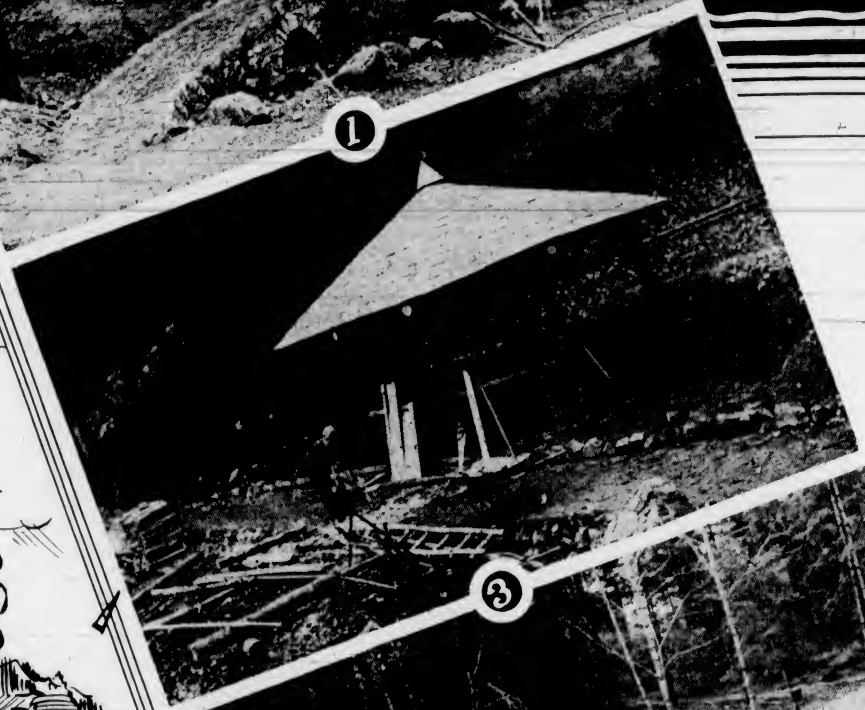
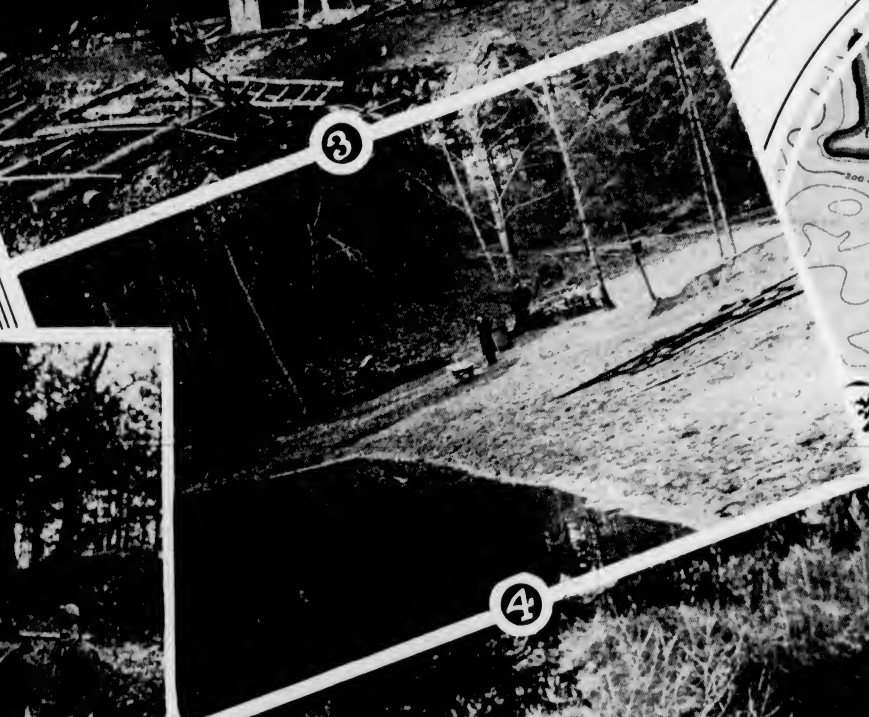
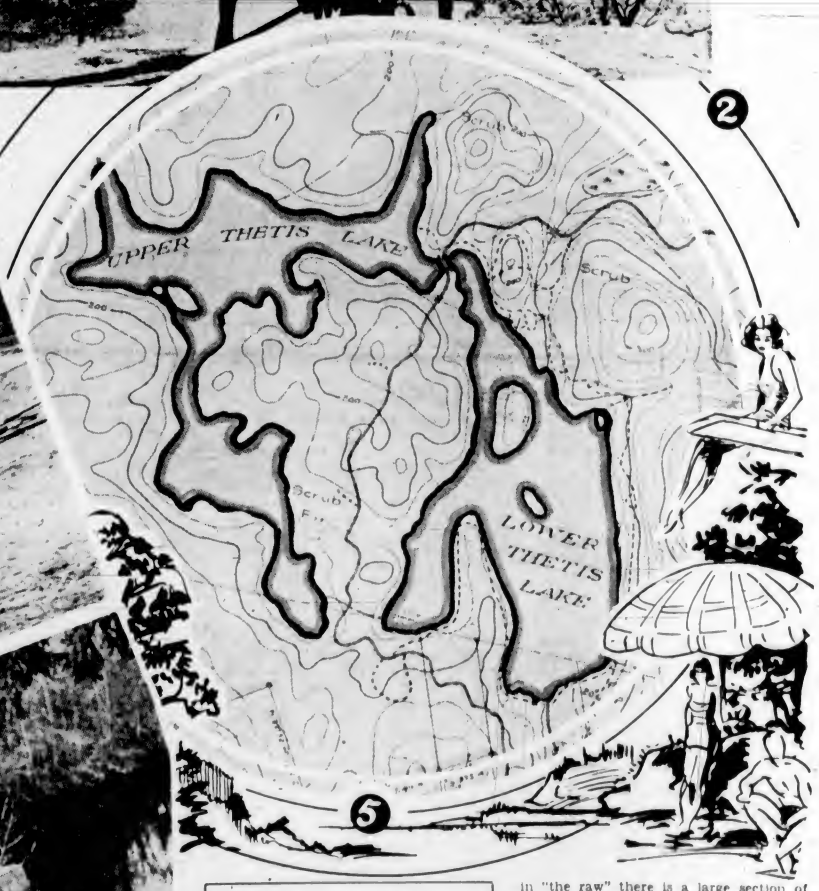
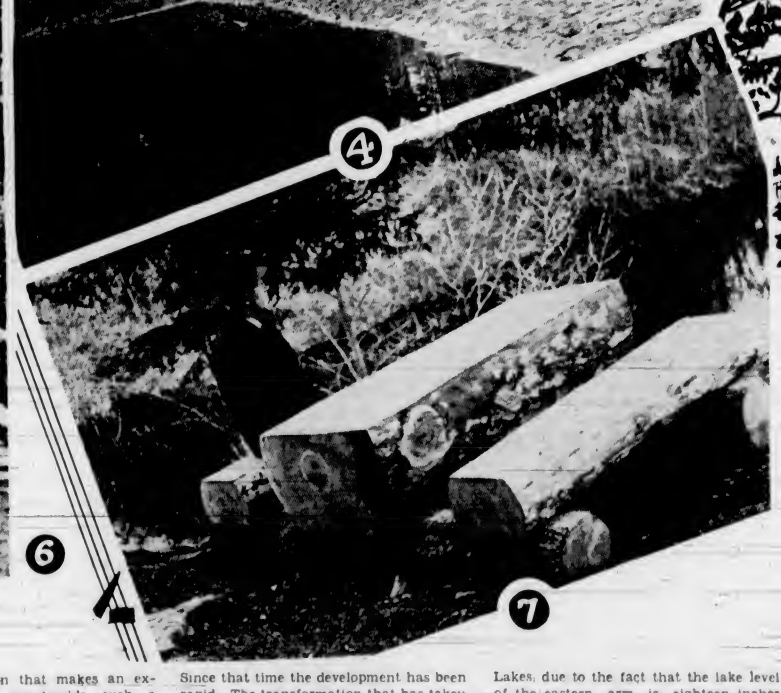
Thetis Lake Park

By H. C. MacCallum









1.—Newly-built stone bridge on the main trail in Thetis Lake Park.
2.—One of the scores of fine vistas overlooking the lake.
3.—Tearoom and Shelter under construction.
4.—Fine sandy beach built for young children. Gently sloping shore makes bathing safe.
5.—Map of a section of 1,300-acre Thetis Lake Park, six miles from Victoria.
6.—Alderman John Worthington, second from right, and party inspecting one of the many wooden bridges over low-lying parts of the trails.
7.—One of the novel tables and benches for picnic parties.

"ILL blows the wind that profits nobody," said Shakespeare. In this case the ill wind of unemployment is blowing profit to the City of Victoria and to the southern part of Vancouver Island generally. Due to the necessity in recent years of providing work and shelter for single homeless men, Thetis Lake Park has been turned from a region accessible only to the few hardy souls who infrequently visited that rugged section of country into a playground for the public generally.

To a limited number of Victorians Thetis Lake has been known for years as a wild and beautiful place within easy reach of the city where one could hunt, fish and explore and escape readily from all signs of habitation and civilization. The changes that have taken place there will be regretted to some extent by those devotees of the open spaces, but to Victorians generally, and to thousands of tourists the region is destined now to become known as a wonderful park, so large that thousands can enjoy its beauties, and at the same time experience that feeling of relative isolation that makes an expedition into the countryside such a pleasure.

The place must be seen to be appreciated. Words cannot describe its enchantment, and only a hint can be given of the pleasure that is in store for the visitor. Only six miles from Victoria, and just off the Island highway, Thetis Lake Park comprises 1,300 acres, or more than two square miles of land and water. Once it was Victoria's watershed, and for years after it ceased to supply water to the city it was simply part of a wild and rugged region of dense vegetation, a series of rocky hills and swampy little valleys.

Development Is Recent

ABOUT four years ago the city council, largely through the untiring efforts of Alderman John Worthington, decided to make it more readily accessible. Since that time the development has been rapid. The transformation that has taken place is almost unbelievable, and was possible only through the assistance of the provincial and federal governments. Again, largely through the efforts of Alderman Worthington, a large camp was established, and a project mapped out to provide work for homeless jobless men. Since development has been in the hands of the provincial forestry branch between $70,000 and $80,000 has been spent in the city's park, the funds provided jointly by the provincial and Dominion governments on a fifty-fifty basis. Thus the development has cost the City of Victoria nothing, yet it has an asset of incalculable value to residents and to Vancouver Island's tourist industry.

Thetis Lake is an irregularly shaped body of water in two parts, which are better known as Upper and Lower Thetis Lakes, due to the fact that the lake level of the eastern arm is eighteen inches higher than that in the western arm, the result of a dam between the two arms built there for control purposes half a century or more ago when the watershed was in use as such. A few hundred yards north of the dam is Little Thetis Lake, more of a swampy pond than a lake, and three-quarters of a mile northwest is McKenzie Lake, a small part of which lies in the park area.

The shores of Upper and Lower Thetis Lake are a series of high rock cliffs and swampy small flats. Under the development project trails have been cut to the innumerable lookout points and into the flats. The deadfalls and underbrush have been removed, creeks and brooks made to flow through the low ground, thus draining the swamps. Rough-hewn tables and rustic seats have been built here and there in suitable picnic spots. Other seats have been made on lookout points. Bridges, nearly a score of rustic wooden ones, have been built over the brooks and low water-soaked spots. Several stone fireplaces have been built at widely separated points for the convenience of picnickers, and several rustic tearooms have been built for the convenience of visitors, and to serve as shelters when needed.

Miles of Pretty Trails

TODAY there are between six and seven miles of trails and paths in the park. To go around the twin lakes is a walk of about two and one-half miles. The trails on the east side were cut during the Winters of 1936-37 and 1937-38, and most of those on the west side during the present season. The east side is the more rugged part as it skirts Mount Seymour, and in several places it was necessary to build steps on the trail, but nowhere is the path really steep or difficult to climb. On the west side there is very little grade, so the walking is extremely easy.

From the main trails there are innumerable little paths which lead to points of interest, and for those who want Nature in "the raw" there is a large section of wild country away from the trails that invites exploration. Among the points of interest that may be reached by such hikers are McKenzie Lake and the falls on Deadman River. These falls are about one-quarter of a mile from the northern end of the trails. They are about twenty feet wide and have a drop of about eight feet over one step.

Those who have visited Thetis Lake will be familiar with the south end of the lower lake, as that is the most popular bathing point, being only several hundred yards from the parking grounds, and being the location of the floats and diving platforms. Due to the absence of beach, this point has never been considered safe for small children and non-swimmers. To overcome this shortcoming, during this Winter, a special bathing beach for children has been developed. It is at the end of the next bay, west of the tearoom and store. A new motor road leads to a parking ground about half a mile from the main parking section. Adjacent to the new parking ground is the beach. It is several hundred feet wide and about seventy-five feet in depth, covered with several feet of sand which extends well out into the gently sloping bottom of the lake. This beach will be an excellent outing place for small children and should prove extremely popular when warm weather comes.

Sword Ferns in Glades

ANOTHER attraction which has been developed this year is a fernery. Several hundred yards west of the children's beach there was a small swamp. An irregular cut through it has become a delightful little brook, over which a

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Eddie Buys a Car

By Budd Wilson Schulberg

AND so they were married. Everybody said it was a beautiful marriage. Midge with her blood-red roses and her snow-white lace wedding gown and her complexion and her sandy hair and her clear bright face always reminded Eddie of a countryside in the sun, swept clean after an all-night rain. Eddie, tall and handsome, in his tails of course, but boyish, too.

They ran the usual gauntlet of shoes and rice as they sped away from the downtown traffic, turned up Wilshire Boulevard, and headed for the beach. Midge said, "Eddie, darling, we've been married five whole minutes."

"And I love you just as much as the moment I married you," Eddie said.

He switched on the radio. Tony Martin was singing "Love Walked In". It was just about the most romantic moment in the history of the world as far as they knew. They sang merrily together.

"Love walked right in and dee-dee da da-da dum
Love walked right in da dee dum sunniest day . . ."

Then they weren't singing any more. And the car wasn't moving. It was the first real kiss. A milestone to eight minutes of marital bliss—planted somewhere in the middle of Wilshire Boulevard. For one swell moment love dared to interfere with the general course of Los Angeles traffic. Then horns honked, irritable voices loudly protested this infringement on the rights of motor vehicles, Eddie almost broke the starter because he forgot the motor was still running, and they headed for the beach faster than ever.

The cottage at Topanga Canyon was off the main highway, a snug little gingerbread kind of place perched on stilts right above the ocean. From it they could see the creamy pathway of the moonlight stretching across the din blue surface of the sea; as they sat silently together they listened to the lap-lapping of the water beneath them, and the regular and somewhat peaceful pounding of the waves on the shore. And so they let the ocean speak for them, swearing to be as constant as the tides, strong and deep as the currents, and yet with unexpected white-capped furries of excitement.

That was Saturday night. Sunday seemed even more idyllic. They soaked their bodies in the heat of the sun and the cold, foamy water; they celebrated anniversaries every hour, feeling wild and carefree and completely of each other.

Midge said, "If we could only climb up there and hold the sun in place so this day would never end."

Eddie swallowed and said, "We'll have to start home soon, Midgie, if we ever expect to be able to get up for work tomorrow morning."

As soon as Eddie said that the honeymoon was over, and they were heading slowly and reluctantly back to the city.

HOME was a three-room flat in one of Los Angeles' cheaper apartment districts. Even though they had hunted for the place together and had even come up to rearrange the furniture a week before, the place was something of a shock to them. The lavishness of their marriage and the two days which followed—at that beach cabin of Eddie's supervisor in the office were like a fabulous interlude that they had only dreamed about. This was painfully emphasized when Eddie sat down to phone.

"Hello, Mac," he said as cheerfully as possible. "Well, here we are, kid. You can come over and get your car any time. We left the key to the cabin in the side pocket. And thanks a million. We'll never forget it."

The only reason Midge could have stood the first month at all was because they were so much in love. She would have to get up fifteen minutes before him to make breakfast. They would rush out of the house so fast in the morning that they never had time to straighten their beds until they came home. Eight hours on her feet and another on the street car would bring her home weary and grumpy to face the last job she wanted on earth at that moment, to cook supper, and then to wash the dishes.

But they could have stood the six weekdays if they could have licked the Sunday problem. Sunday without a car is not so different from being on an island without a boat.

Eddie and Midge had been married three months now, and in spite of everything they had promised, in spite of themselves, both of them could feel a door sliding between them. It was nothing overt, nothing concrete, nothing that prevented them from falling into each other's arms every now and then and solemnly swearing that nothing could ever separate them. It was this that made it so dangerous, because they could not see it coming and therefore couldn't avoid it. It was just the ordinary everyday strain of living that was beginning to tell on them, and that seemed to be something neither of them could adjust with a good smile or a heart-to-heart talk.

One Sunday Eddie said, "It's hot as hell in here. Let's get some air." Midge said she didn't mind. So they went out, side by side, though you could hardly say together.

They walked along, growing more miserable and desperate, Midge thinking her first hunch had been right—to wait until he was earning a little more than she; and Eddie thinking a guy is crazy to get tied down these days when the world has its knees dug into your elbows already.

AT the moment that both of them were reaching the boiling point, something important happened. They saw an automobile in a dealer's window. Hypnotized, they pressed forward toward the window to stare in at it. For at this moment what they were looking at was something much more than a car. All at once it seemed to be a symbol of freedom, the adventure and the beauty they knew was lacking in their lives. It floated before them, beyond the show window, like a haughty ship, gracefully streamlined, a tantalizing tribute to the new esthetics of the machine age. Its color was a soft faded blue.

They stepped back to admire it as the work of art it was. A salesman with a sharp crease to his pants quickly joined them.

"Nice little bus, eh?" he said.

Midge and Eddie felt as if their own child had been insulted. "Nice!" she said. "It's . . . it's heavenly.

"Which one is selling this car?" the salesman laughed. "It's a honey all right. Why don't you come in and have a look at it?"

Midge was just about to tell him they hadn't the slightest thought of buying it, she just wanted to stand there looking in at it. But Eddie gave her a funny look, and said, "Thank you, don't mind if we look it over," very importantly.

So now they were close enough to touch it, completely swept away by the car and the magic words of the salesman, who seemed to be composing a sort of twentieth-century lyric poem about feather-mattress shock absorbers, and unbreakable glass, the eighth-wonder gear shift, the solid steel chassis, the noiseless axle and all the other wonders of this shining miracle on wheels. Eddie and Midge needed no persuading. All they needed was money.

But Eddie was looking more mischievous every second, the way he used to before he became a man of responsibility, and before Midge could protest, Eddie said, "We'll take it."

"Eddie, are you crazy?" she said. "We haven't that much money.

"That doesn't matter," the salesman said, "Your husband here has the right idea. I think we can arrange the right kind of terms for you."

"But, darling . . ."

It seemed as if the entire deal was transacted before she could finish her sentence. They were going to borrow, hock and save all month to pay the down payment. After that the installment would be thirty-five dollars a month. The car was practically theirs now.

They seemed to walk home without touching the sidewalk. "Eddie, we shouldn't have done that," Midge said.

"Of course not. That's why it's going to be fun," Eddie answered recklessly. "It'll be the shot in the arm both of us were needing—the greatest thing that ever happened to us!"

Midge wanted to believe it, even though it seemed like believing in fairy tales. But she was worried about that thirty-five dollars a month. "But Midgie," Eddie argued excitedly, "we'll save twenty-eight cents a day in street car tokens alone. Do you realize that's almost two bucks a week? Gee whiz! More'n a hundred bucks a year clear profit. We can't miss!"

MIDGE and Eddie plunged into the job raising the necessary money with a spirit that completely eclipsed all their minor irritations and frustrations. They worked hard, and time moves fast that way, until the day finally came when Midge heard a loud, prolonged, victorious honk and rushed outside, and there was the car, actually outside their apartment. Midge jumped in and they drove out to the beach.

The next two months flew by at sixty miles an hour. Every Sunday was a different adventure. They struggled like mad to meet those installments, they stinted themselves with Spartan determination to provide the money for gas and oil. Overnight, life had become a great crusade.

After narrowly squeaking by the fourth installment, Midge told Eddie she was afraid they would have to decide between giving up the car and moving to a cheaper apartment. Eddie grumbled that if they had only kept to their budget everything would have been all right. But Midge reminded him of all the ghosts that haunt a budget; dentist and doctor bills and unanticipated minor accidents.

They moved to three smaller rooms farther downtown. Eddie asked for a raise and the boss drew a doleful picture of conditions so Eddie had to be satisfied with a vague promise of an increase later on. The crisis of paying the installments seemed to deepen each month, but it was no longer a carefree adventure. Eddie and Midge found it was becoming the sole topic of their conversation. Like a magician's trick, the car that had been their liberator was becoming their oppressor.

By the time they had paid their sixth month's installment, every purchase had become an issue of dissension. Their nerves were raw from the strain, and the slightest misunderstanding of word or gesture was sufficient to sting them into anger.

One day after Eddie had just barely made the payment by borrowing five dollars he picked Midge up at the department store as he always did after work. She was carrying a large hatbox. Of course she had no idea what was raging inside him. She pinched his cheek and said, How's my little grumbly-cake this evening?"

Eddie waved her hand and said, "Don't, darling; you know I don't like you to do that."

THEY drove several blocks in silence. Then Eddie asked, "What've you got there?"

Midge said, "Just a hat."

"Just!" Eddie said. "You know how we're fixed for money."

"But, darling," Midge said calmly, "it was one of the samples and I had a chance to buy it so cheap."

"How cheap?"

"Only seven dollars."

"Seven dollars on a hat!" Eddie exploded. "I thought you had a hat."

"That's a Summer hat, silly."

"What's wrong with a Summer hat?" Eddie demanded. "This is California. It's Summer all year round anyway."

"Come out from behind that Chamber of Commerce booklet," Midge smiled.

But Eddie was in no mood for kidding. By the time they reached their flat, they were still on the subject of the hat. Midge wasn't trying to laugh him out of it any more. She was tired and sore and what right did he have nagging her anyway? What did he want her to do, go around in that damned car stark naked?

Eddie yelled, "You know you shouldn't have bought that hat."

"I guess there isn't any use," Midge said. She was angrier than Eddie now, in a quieter, more definite way. "There's no reason in the world why I shouldn't buy a hat when I need one—except that you did have to have that car."

"I suppose you didn't say you'd like to drive off with it and never bring it back? But now when it goes wrong, it's all my fault. Just like a woman."

"Listen you big, dumb, stubborn mule," Midge suddenly screamed at him. "I told you we had about as much right to buy that car as . . . as . . ."

"As you had to buy that hat?"

"I'm sick and tired of fighting with you about that hat, and that car, and everything," Midge yelled.

"Well, who started it?"

"I don't care," Midge cried out. "As a matter of fact, I'm sick and tired of you, too."

At first Eddie thought this was just hysterics, but then when she repeated it more calmly he knew she meant it.

It all had happened so fast it was hard for Eddie to realize that he and his wife had really had a blowoff, the real thing, and now it was finished, and they were coldly discussing the terms of their separation.

"I'll move out," Eddie mumbled after Midge had offered to let him keep the apartment. "I can find a room somewhere cheap." There wasn't much to discuss because they didn't have many possessions to divide. Nothing really except the car. When Eddie broached that subject, Midge said she didn't want to hear anything further about it; she guessed the simplest plan would be just to give it back.

"But there's no use throwing away six months' installments," Eddie reasoned. "It would be crazy to give it up now."

Midge had to see the sense of this. Resignedly, they agreed on a plan. They would each pay half the installment every month. Eddie offered to let her keep the car all the time, but Midge insisted on being businesslike: "We'll share the car the same way we pay for it," she said coolly. "We'll alternate on it every two weeks."

SO it was agreed. Eddie bid Midge a reluctant but chilly good-bye and she went to the window to watch the blue car melt into the traffic of the street. As she turned away, tears were half formed in her eyes, but she was too angry with him to give in to them. She went into the kitchen to prepare her lone supper, trying to whistle nonchalantly. Then she stopped short. It was "Love Walked In."

Two weeks later, when she came downstairs on her way to work in the morning, there was the blue beauty dutifully awaiting her. She found the key in the side pocket, where Eddie always left it. There was a note there, too: "Midge—I have just had the oil changed. Don't forget to keep the air in the tires at thirty-five pounds. And try not to ride the clutch. Eddie."

For the next two months Eddie and Midge neither saw nor spoke to each other. Their only contact, besides the installment collector, who made his monthly visit to each, were the notes that they always left for the other at the end of their two-week period. They were invariably brief and impersonal, though a psychologist might have read certain signs of affection in Eddie's, while Midge's were colder and more frigid.

When the installment collector called for the ninth payment Eddie had his seventeen-fifty all ready for him. The collector cleared his throat. "I'm afraid that isn't going to be enough this time," he said.

"What's the matter?" Eddie asked. "You're not raising the payments on us?"

"No," the collector said, "but I've just come from Mrs. Moore. She says she's not able to make her payment this month."

"But she has to," Eddie stormed, "that's what we agreed on. You go back and tell her . . ."

The collector interrupted him.

"She said to tell you that you would either have to make the full payment this month or give up the car. And she recommended the latter, son."

But there was something about that car that Eddie refused to surrender. He called Frank while the collector waited, and told him he'd pay him back on payday. Then he paid the full thirty-five dollars. That was going to mean doing without the orange juice he liked in the morning and cutting down on his lunches, but he wouldn't lose that car, not after everything that had happened.

Next morning he found it hard to concentrate on his work. Midge wasn't the welshing kind. What could have possibly made her pass up her payment?

Midge couldn't believe it was he when she opened the door. "Eddie!" she cried excitedly, and then she remembered to be cool and said, "Good evening. What do you want?"

"I've . . . I've come on business," Eddie said miserably.

Midge was disappointed when that was all he said, and so was Eddie.

"As a partner," she said, "I suppose you should know that I lost my job last week."

EDDIE looked at her intently, hoping to find out why she lost the job. But she looked away, too full of pride to tell him how the void he had left in her life had followed her to the store, leaving her listless and uninterested in what was going on around her. Eddie wondered if that was it.

"I'm sorry," Eddie said, "but I guess I can manage to pay the whole thing for a while anyway. I got my raise last week. I'm getting twenty-five now."

"That's very nice," she said. "In the meantime, until, until I find something again, it's only right that you keep the car with you all the time."

"Don't be silly," Eddie said. "This will just be a loan."

"Thanks," Midge said, "you're being very fair."

The next time Eddie was supposed to get the car from Midge he was surprised to find it wasn't there waiting for him. This was the first time either of them had fallen down. The phone rang. It was the receiving hospital. Calling for Mrs. Moore. She had been in a nasty accident. The car was considerably damaged. But Mrs. Moore was only suffering from shock and painful abrasions.

Twenty minutes later Eddie was down at the hospital. He found Midge in the main ward, pale and still frightened. She was so glad to see him she forgot not to smile. He handed her the bunch of violets he had picked up on the way down. She always liked violets. She held out her arms to him and for a moment they were together and he was telling her not to worry about the accident.

When he came back to see her the next day she was fully dressed and sitting in a chair, looking much better. In fact she had recovered so much that she remembered that they were hardly talking. And Eddie felt a little uncomfortable, too, now that he really had no excuse for coming.

"I . . . I came to talk the fender situation over," he said.

"Eddie, I don't know what I can do," she said, really worried. "The hospital will have to get all the money I have left. And the fenders . . ."

"Don't worry," Eddie said, "I've got a pal who'll knock those fenders out for almost nothing. And, Midge, I've arranged to take care of the hospital bill."

"But I can't let you do that."

"It'll be a sort of I O U."

He was back again next day.

"The doctor says I'm getting out this afternoon," she said.

"That's swell," Eddie said.

She hesitated a moment. "Eddie, I thought I might go up to Santa Barbara and visit Aunt Alice for a couple of weeks. It would be a good rest. I know the next two weeks are yours for the car, but I thought . . ."

"Don't be silly," Eddie said. "Of course you can have it."

"Thanks," Midge said. "Then you can have it for a whole month after that."

"We can settle that later."

THE next day Midge was packing when the doorbell rang. It was Eddie. "I don't know exactly how to say this," he began uncertainly, "but, well, it just happened that the boss gave me a two weeks' vacation, starting tomorrow, and I wondered if . . ."

"You want to use the car instead of giving it to me," Midge jumped ahead of him. "Take it, of course, Eddie. Wait—I've got a better idea, you could just drop me there, and pick me up again when it's time to go home."

"If you're sure you don't mind," Eddie said.

"No, I won't mind."

"Then I'll pick you up in the morning," Eddie grinned.

It was a beautiful drive to Santa Barbara. They were talking together, flowing together as they used to.

As they turned a sharp bend, they could see a little cove on the sand, hidden from the road by enormous rocks, hollowed out into caves. The sand was white and untouched. Eddie put on the brakes.

"What's the matter?" Midge asked.

Eddie reached down below the seat and brought up a cardboard box. "We're all set," he grinned. "Here's the lunch and there's the place to eat it."

It was a good lunch and it tasted good with the ocean spray in their faces.

"Gosh, Midge," Eddie said, "It's fun to be alone with you."

"I've been dying to hear you say something like that again."

"I've been dying to say it."

"Darling," she said, "promise me something? Let's not bury the hatchet. I don't think either of us ever really had one. But let's bury our pride. Right here in the sand, deep. So that this can never happen to us again."

"I'd bury the car, too, if I thought it was ever going to keep us apart again," Eddie said. "Look at it standing up there without saying a word. As if it didn't know it brought us together, and then it tore us apart."

"And then it brought us together again," Midge said. "Only it's not going to boss us any more. Let's try to keep it, Eddie. But if it starts to be a problem again, we'll just have to make it understand that it has to be the one to go."

"It's a deal," Eddie said. "Let's kiss on it, Midgie." And the waves roared up a long time before they heard them again.

Going through Santa Barbara, Midge said "I think you just passed Aunt Alice's street."

"I'm sure I passed it," Eddie said. "We're on our way to Lake Tahoe."

"Tahoe! But, Eddie."

"Why not?" Eddie asked. "As long as we're not going to be paying two rents any more, we might as well have our fling."

"Darling," Midge said, "turn on the radio. Maybe someone is playing 'Love Walked In'."

"Love walked right in," they sang together as they hit the coast highway again coming out of Santa Barbara, and "dee-dum shadows away . . ."

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Hypnotized, They Pressed Forward Toward the Window to Stare at It.

Interesting Old Port Document Found

RECENT Spring-cleaning at the dockmaster's office, London Docks, brought to light a ship's station list dated March 24, 1881, reports The P.L.A. Monthly, for February.

"This old record, which was found behind a cupboard, affords an apt illustration of the tenacity with which 'Sail' held its own even so late in the century; out of the seventy vessels shown on the list only eight are steamships, all under 1,000 tons, and engaged in traffic to or from comparatively near ports. On the other hand, several of the sailing ships are over 1,000 tons bound from or to China, Australia and other distant countries. These long voyages, were, however, by no means the prerogative of the larger ships; note Annie, 438 tons, from Cochin; Atma, 523 tons, for New South Wales, and Blanca, 200 tons, from Rio Janeiro. Incidentally, many tides have flowed since London Docks last saw a commercial ship engaged on such distant routes.

"Many of the names of brokers or agents shown on the list are well-known today, but it is interesting to note that none of the firms was then a limited liability company, indicative of the conservation of the old-time family shipping concerns. Unlike the modern ships' station list, published by the authority, this old list does not disclaim responsibility for errors which, in view of the cheerful disregard for conformity shown by the compositor in the matter of type, font and point, appears to be a dangerous omission."

Out of Tune

THE customer in the shoe shop was most exacting, and after some time the manager approached the assistant, asking him quietly: "Can't you satisfy this gentleman?"

"I'm afraid not, sir," whispered the assistant. "He wants two shoes which squeak on the same note."

An Amazing Discovery

A Helen and Warren Story

By MABEL HERBERT URNER

ANCIENT oak beams, high pew seats, sawdusted floor. A chop sizzling on the charcoal grill. The unchanged atmosphere of the historic "George and Vulture."

"Dear, I wonder how many taverns have been modeled from this?"

"Plenty!" Warren said, demolishing his mixed grill. "One of the originals—established 1600. Pretty c'd even for London."

"And all 'his Dickens material," Helen scanned the framed prints and letters.

"A Dickens landmark. I think Pickwick hung out here."

"Yes, the menu quotes from Pickwick—Chapter 26. Dear, this is just perfect! Meeting you here for lunch—after an antique-shop morning."

"Did some junk-hunting myself," reaching into his pocket. "Picked this up in an old-book shop.

"And not a book?" Eagerly unwrapping the package.

A silhouette! Black on gold glass. An eighteenth-century youth at harpsichord.

"Oh!" swift dismay. "Oh, you didn't buy this for an antique?"

"Why not?" he bristled. "Look at that frame. Wood so old, it's rotting."

"Yes, they put these copies in old frames—and back them with old paper."

"Huh, your finds always the real thing. But anything I get must be phoney!"

"Dear, I've seen too many of these. And something about them—not quite like the old."

"Now that's not a fake!" irately stabbing a grilled kidney. "If you don't like it I'll give it to Carrie."

"Oh, that musical decanter she wants," a diverting topic. "I looked this morning. Not an old one to be had. They're very rare."

"Well, said she'd take a reproduction. See any of those?"

"No, but a shop on King's Road gave me an address. Down here in the city. Fore Street," consulting a card.

"That's not far from here. Tell you what, Kitten," putting down his tankard of ale. "I've nothing on till four. We'll go around together!"

"But we can't drag a decanter all over the continent. Wait till we come back—just before we sail."

"May be rushed then. Better get it while we're down here. Leave it at the hotel."

His sister's yearly demands. Always something bulky, difficult to find—and expensive. Supposedly commissions. But of course he never let her pay.

No, not let thoughts of Carrie spoil this perfect hour. Think of roaming around—together! So much of down-in-the-City London they had never explored.

Finishing their lunch with old Cheshire, brown biscuits, and celery. A friendly good-bye to the elderly waiter.

Out into the ancient George Yard. Through a dim passage to Lombard Street. A white-gauntleted "Bobbie" directing traffic. Red buses in a crawling line.

The crowd drably raincoated. But not raining. Just the usual fine mist.

Across Threadneedle Street, and past the windowless bulk of the Bank of England. The financial heart of the British Empire.

Turning off into a wholesale district. Prosaic woolens, leather, hosiery. But an old section—many venerable "pubs" with leaded windows and quaint signs.

An ivied church, a serene oasis in this grim commercial quarter.

"This must be the place," Helen checked the number of a sooted brick.

Yes, an inconspicuous sign—the firm name in faded gilt. A small-paned window with a few pieces of china, crystal, porcelain figures.

Inside, a partition of frosted glass. Through an inquiry window, glimpsing an old-fashioned office. Two men at roll-top desks.

One coming to the window. A middle-aged man, florid and stocky. His questioning "Good afternoon."

"You carry musical decanters?" brisked Warren.

"Sorry, sir, but we do not sell at retail."

"Why Mrs. Trench on King's Road sent me," Helen handing him the card.

"You're a customer of Mrs. Trench? In that case, we'll be glad to serve you."

Ushering them into a poorly lit showroom, lined with dusty shelves.

A forest of glass and china. Bohemian glass. Bristol. Wedgwood. Dresden figures. Snow-scene paperweights.

"Oh, all these reproductions!" her appraising survey.

"Yes, we import them from Czechoslovakia. Some from our own factory."

"Sell 'em by the gross, eh?" grinned Warren.

"I've seen these at the Caledonian Market. So many alike—I knew they must be fakes!"

"Reproductions," a pained correction. "All our merchandise we sell to dealers as reproductions. And at reproduction prices."

"But many dealers sell them as antiques," she ventured.

"Most regrettable! But not our responsibility."

"Oh, dice glasses!" shaking the base-enclosed dice. "Last year we got some of these at the Rag Market. I suppose they came from here?"

"We sell to reputable dealers," his haughty evasion. "Naturally, we can't guarantee the eventful disposition of the goods."

Then, opening a rear window.

"A few antiques in here that we've had copied. Would you care to see them?"

A small treasure room. More china, glass, Sheffield. But these authentic.

Helen's interest in the prices. But all marked in code. No, not ask. Nothing she really wanted.

"No musical decanter? Well, let's see the reproductions," prodded Warren.

"Yes, sir, if you'll come upstairs. This way, please."

Out to a musty hall, and up dim time-hollowed steps.

Switching on an anemic ceiling light as they entered another room.

Sheives of pewter! Plates, porringers, inkwells. Brass knockers. Candlesticks. Ivory-framed miniatures—the most common fakes. Cameos—a close second.

"What about the silver hall-marks?" Warren at a case of Victorian chains and lockets. "They fake those, too?"

"Never, sir!" his genuine horror. "Here in England that's a prison offence."

"But don't they sometimes cut them out?" Helen examining a locket. "Then weld them into plated reproductions?"

"I believe that's been done," reluctantly. "But only on large pieces—to make it worth the risk. Of course, these lockets are unmarked."

Leading them past a sooted window to a glittering shelf.

The musical decanters! Heavy cut glass with a frosted base—to conceal the music-box. Playing when lifted!

A tinkling "How Dry I Am" as Warren took one up.

"Nothing antique about that," he grinned. "Carrie'll want an old tune."

Fortunately a variety of airs. Helen choosing a long-necked decanter that played "Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes."

"But seven pounds! Almost thirty-five dollars. Of course not the wholesale price. Mrs. Trench's commission included.

"The best diamond cut," sensing her reaction. "And the music works made in Switzerland. The smaller size is only five."

'Huh, with that trick base—doesn't hold much. I'll take the larger one," getting out his wallet. "How about it, Kitten? Do we want one, too?"

"No, no, we've so many decanters," shrinking from a seven-pound reproduction.

And such an awkward package. Rarely allowed to take anything bulky or breakable. But for his sister—all rules ignored.

"No, needn't send it," peeling off the pound notes. "We'll take it with us."

"Very well, sir." With practiced thrift, turning off the lights.

Back down the decrepit stairs to the main showroom. A wait for the package.

"Dear, not many Americans ever get here. Such a disillusioning place—wholesale antiques."

"Reproductions," chuckled Warren. "He's pretty careful to call 'em that. And it's legitimate. Plenty of shops sell frank reproductions—for period rooms."

"Yes, I know. But plenty sell them as antiques."

"Well, he's not admitting that. Jove, taking long enough to wrap a package." An impatient swing of his cane.

"Oh, here're some things we didn't see. Dear, silhouettes."

All unframed. Mostly black on gold glass. Many single profiles. A few groups in eighteenth-century costumes.

Yes, and several of that same harpsichord player.

"For the love of Lulu!" glared Warren. "Dead ringer for mine."

"Are you interested in silhouettes?" the man returning with the package.

"I was this morning—but not now," producing his "find." "Bought this for an old one. But looks like I'm stuck."

"I'm afraid you are, sir," an expert appraisal. "Young Mozart—a very popular number. We sell hundreds. Yes, they're often put in old frames."

Helen vindicated—but not gleeful. Never really wanting him put in the wrong. Proud of his seldom erring judgment.

"Now come on, want to park this at the hotel," he snatched the package. "Got that four o'clock appointment."

Drizzling when they came out. His cane-umbrella unsheathed.

Only commercial traffic. Not a taxi till they reached Wood Street.

"Illuminating jaunt," he shrugged, as they wheeled off. "Stuck with that silhouette, all right."

"But, dear, even collectors taken in by those," consolingly. "And in that old frame——"

"What'll we do with it?" lighting a cigar. "Guess you don't want a phoney."

"I'll give it to Mrs. Dalton—she'll love it. I always take her something."

"See here, you're not to pass that on as an antique."

"Why, we're not selling it. Must I say what it is?" wistfully.

"Well, coming from you, she'll assume it's old. Ought to tell her— By George, what's that?"

As the cab swerved, an eerie tinkle—from the package at their feet.

"Oh, the decanter!" laughed Helen. "We must tell Carrie about that place. Headquarters for fake antiques. Dear, it doesn't seem quite ethical."

"Huh, they're covered—sell 'em as frank copies. Couldn't do anything else with all that stock. Unethical part is the shops passing 'em off as antiques."

"I know. And now that the old things are getting more scarce——"

"Got to be cagey, eh?" ruefully feeling his bulgy pocket. "Collectors must know all the tricks. Well, after that warehouse of wholesale antiques—I'm not falling for any more finds."

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The Great Family of Orchids

By FRED BENNETT

THE occasional cattleya bloom seen on a lady's coat does not give the slightest indication of the magnificence of the great family "Orchidaceae." There are now more than 17,000 distinct species of orchids known and described; to this list, explorers and professional collectors are constantly adding new species and new varieties of already known kinds.

Orchid species are found growing wild in all parts of the world, the Arctic regions excepted.

The majority of the gorgeous kinds grown for cut flowers are of tropical or semi-tropical origin.

Until the last two decades orchids were exclusively the hobby of the wealthy. Both in Europe and America there were many private collections. Some of these were entirely made up of rare and unique specimen the bidding would reach, what one specimen was known.

Flowers Seldom Cut

ELABORATE conservatories were built, especially to display these plants when they were in bloom. The flowers were seldom or never cut.

The plants originally were gathered by professional collectors, sometimes employed by private persons; but generally collecting and shipping to central points for their own account. Auction sales were held at stated intervals. The commoner and well-known sorts were mostly sold by weight, it was the new and rare kinds that were sold separately. For an exclusive specimens the bidding would reach, what seems to us, ridiculous heights.

Commercial Industry

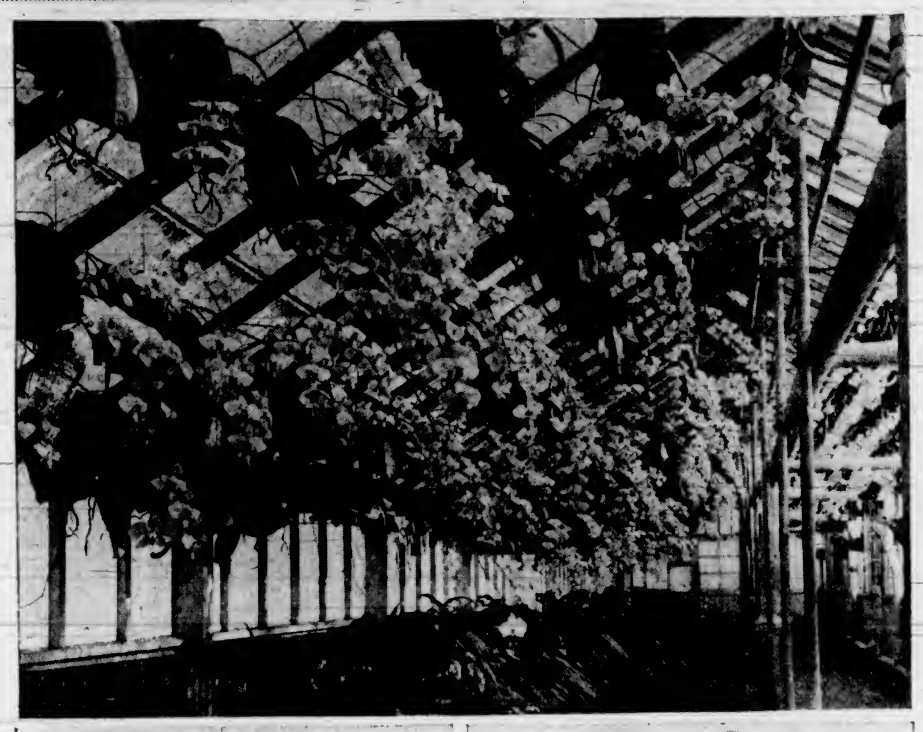
THE change to the present great commercial orchid industry started with the entry of modern rapid transit. The plant collectors in the tropics began sending cut blooms instead of plants. These reached the market in such quantities and in such good condition, that they were offered to the public at prices which were reasonable for this type of flower. In a very short time florists began to grow a few orchid plants of the commoner kinds, in their greenhouses. This was only moderately successful. The conditions required for these being entirely different to that for ordinary florist flowers. Soon some of the larger florists began to build specially heated and ventilated greenhouses for orchids alone. These were immediately successful and whole ranges of greenhouses, some of them acres in extent, were erected to keep pace with the public demand for the cut bloom. These great plants, housing hundreds of thousands of orchid plants in a wide variety of species, are now known by the horticultural term "Orchid Divisions."

Imports From Jungles

IN the earlier years the plants necessary to fill these houses could only be secured by transportation from their native jungles, but the danger of importing dangerous plant diseases liable to spread to the, by this time, very valuable collections, made it advisable to prohibit this importation. At the present time the only wild orchids imported are new species or new varieties of known kinds. These are quarantined for a sufficiently long period to assure their freedom from disease.

Greenhouse Cultivation

UNDER greenhouse cultivation orchid plants are now increased in two ways. The plants already growing are divided, this increases the number of plants, and the rate of increase is slow. Under proper control, it is found that many of these greenhouse-grown plants will produce seed, and if conditions are favorable this seed germinates and the seedlings grow to the blooming stage in a period of not less than four years. When both seed parents are members of the same species and variety, the resulting plants differ mostly in graduations of color and vitality; one perhaps, amongst many hundreds, show some major improvement. Where the parents belong to different varieties of the same species the range of variation is greater and the percentage of worthless plants increase.



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The Top Photograph Shows the "Phalaenopsis," a Genus of Ornamental Epiphytic Orchids, Native of India and the Malay Archipelago, Growing in a Commercial Greenhouse in California. On the Left Is a Seedling of the "Miltonia Marietta Armacost," and on the Right a Close-Up of a Modern Orchid Hybrid, Showing the Tremendous Texture Which Increases the Length of the Time the Flowers Last.

Cross Fertilization

IT is in the cross fertilization between two distinct species that the real original development is proceeding. The seedlings from this highly specialized branch are complete mysteries until they have produced a bloom, even then the small percentages that have merit must have further tests to find if the merit is permanent. When this is established, they either take their place in the catalogues or are retained for further seedling experiments. Occasionally, in these crosses, a plant with a startling development appears. The only one of its kind in existence is naturally very valuable.

Planting in Pots

THE greenhouses in the orchid divisions differ little in structure from the ordinary commercial houses. The variation is in the more complete heating and ventilating to conform with the seasonal change in temperatures that orchids demand. Except in isolated cases, the plants are grown in ordinary flower pots or openwork baskets that can be hung from supports built for the purpose. As orchids take the nourishment direct from the air, no soil is used in the potting process. The material used is peat fibres and sphagnum moss, with charcoal, and other solid inert ingredients to make up bulk, and hold the plant firmly in place. Aside from their distinctive beauty, the blooms easily outlast any other standard cut flower. They are excellent travelers. Properly packed and under reasonable conditions a week makes very little difference to their final period of usefulness or beauty. Most certainly orchids can be grown successfully by amateurs. They would, or course, be well advised to start with plants of the commoner kinds. Plants of these kinds acclimatized to greenhouse conditions, are now fairly plentiful and moderate in price. A practical greenhouse with two or three divisions properly heated and ventilated, and used for orchids only, is the major requirement. Cultural directions are given in many books on the subject. Their great fault is that the really valuable information is so buried in a mass of irrevelant material that their perusal requires close study.

'Round London Town

By JOAN LITTLEFIELD

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LONDON.—Westminster City Council is spending $15,000 on street decorations to greet the French President and Madame Lebrun, when they pay their state visit to London from March 21 to 24. Their arrival at Victoria Station, where they will be greeted by the King and Queen, is to be televised.

High spots in the four days' entertaining will be a state banquet at Buckingham Palace on March 21; a banquet at the French Embassy, where the President will entertain the King and Queen on March 22, followed by a command performance at Covent Garden, and a dinner at the Foreign Office, followed by a theatrical entertainment organized by the Government on March 23.

Mr. Lebrun will be the guest of the City of London at the Guildhall on March 22, when an address will be presented to him in a gold casket. He will be the fifth French President to be entertained in the city, the last being M. Doumergue in 1927. The Emperor Napoleon III was welcomed at Guildhall in 1855.

Forty suits of splendid livery have been made for the staff of the Government Hospitality Fund, who will wait upon the French guests at official functions. These suits of full dress, or state, livery are of a light blue, with scarlet cuffs and collars, scarlet waistcoats, blue velveteen breeches and white silk stockings.

Monsieur and Madame Lebrun will entertain the King and Queen in the "Great Ballroom" at the French Embassy, where over 100 guests will sit down at a horseshoe table. The room is in classic Empire style, the walls and columns being painted pale cream. The fine collection of silver-gilt that usually accompanies the French President on his official visits will be brought from France to be used at the banquet.

Greetings by Princesses

WHEN President Lebrun arrives at Buckingham Palace, the Princess Elizabeth and Margaret will thank him in French for the dolls that were presented to them by the children of France last year. Each is preparing a short official speech of thanks. Both Princesses already speak French quite well. They learn from gramophone records which explain special picture books.

Thetis Lake Park

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small stone bridge has been built. The ground roundabout has been cleared of brush, deadfalls and rotting logs, and planted to masses of sword and other ferns. Here and there among the ferns are moss-covered logs in the shape of animals. A moss formation on the trunk of a giant fir tree resembles a huge lizard. Several bird's nests appear in old stumps, and on the top of another stump there is an odd-shaped fungus which looks more like a large turtle than a parasitic growth.

While special attention has been given to this fernery, other low-lying spots along the trails have been similarly developed by clearing out the rank undergrowth and planting giant sword ferns.

Nowhere in the park has the natural beauty of the landscape been damaged. The only trees which have been removed are the old and broken snags and the semi-rotted tree trunks that increased the fire hazard and would be dangerous to the public. Only the dense underbrush has been removed, and care has been taken to preserve the wild flowers; which will be numerous in a few weeks, and the flowering shrubs. Moss growths everywhere have been preserved in their natural state, so nothing of consequence has been removed in making the park a place where families may enjoy the beauty of forest and lake without danger of becoming lost or injured by stumbling over unseen hazards.

This work has been done by a crew of approximately 100 men, with Major Rod Porteous as foreman and Alex Paul as sub-foreman. In charge of this and other forest development projects such as Dean Park on Mount Newton, Glintz Lake at Sooke, Sahtlam on the Cowichan River and Koksilah are the superintendent of forest development, H. B. Force, and his assistant, E. G. Oldham.

Build Up Savings Fund

THE workmen are homeless, unemployed men. They work eight hours a day, forty-four hours a week and are paid 30 cents an hour. They pay 75 cents a day for board. When they arrive at the camp they are provided with boots and clothing as required, at wholesale prices, averaging about $16 a man, and deductions are made from wages received in the first 100 hours of work to repay the loan. After the hundredth hour, 10 cents per hour is withheld from their pay, and this builds up into a savings fund. When there is sufficient to the credit of the individual to provide for payment of $4 a week until the end of May, he is discharged from the camp. In this way he builds up for himself a subsistence fund for use while he is looking for employment. When he obtains permanent employment, he may draw the balance owing him on satisfying the authorities that he has no further need for it on a week-by-week basis.

Last year twenty-four camps were operated in British Columbia, but this year eighteen have taken care of the situation. About 1,350 men are handled at one time, and the turnover during the season will be about 2,700 men, thus providing all the registered single homeless unemployed men with work and shelter during the Winter.

New Campanile Planned

VERY imposing will be the new Campanile in the Cathedral Square at Milan. When the Duce approved the plans at the end of last year, he told the architect, Sr. Vico Vigano, that the tower must be ready for Italy's World Exhibition in 1942. In order not to dwarf too much the steeple of the Cathedral, which is 360 feet, the new Campanile is not to be quite so high as the 540 feet originally planned. The same pinkish marble from Lake Maggiore that built the steeple will be used for the structure.

Signor Vigano has called his Campanile the Tower of Memories, Victories and Glories, and, with all its elaborate symbolism, it has taken him years to design. A revolving light, signifying peace, will crown the summit and there will be halls within the tower dedicated to the House of Savoy and to the Conciliation of Church and State, the latter containing statues of Pius XI and Mussolini, each set in front of a stained glass window.

Visitors to the World Fair in Rome will no doubt have to pay an entrance fee to see this famous tower, for it is unlikely that the Milanese will have raised the entire cost of it by 1942.

March on the Lake's Outskirts

By Robert Connell

AFTER the sharpest frost of the season the fourth of March presented the rambler's eye with a sky of cloudless blue and his cheek with a gentle northerly breeze. Along the Florence Lake Road the water in the ruts had just enough ice remaining at noon to give to the foot that pleasant crunching whose sound reminds you of crisp toast. Every object appeared unusually bright and clear in the thin air and every sound, whether of human voice or animal call, was carried far and wide. The dogs that ran out to greet the unfamiliar pedestrian seemed endowed with a louder and more penetrating bark. Much of all this no doubt was a response to the atmosphere's exhilaration. When the blood courses more swiftly and the skin tingles with the nip of the wind and the nervous system tunes itself to the brilliant sunshine, sight and hearing become more keen, the sense of smell is sharpened, and the obscure perfumes of the woods and the watery landscape are at once more noticeable and more noticed.

The Winter Waters

THE Winter waters of the lake meet at the road's corner the flooded meadows on the right. Looking across the broad sheet of shallow water it is hard to realize that only a few short months ago I wandered here among wild flowers and sedges with only a tiny pool to catch the reflections of the overhanging trees. Here on the warm herbage I sat among the bright yellow sneezewort and watched the graceful grasses swing their pendent branches in the light breeze. Today the houses are mirrored in water and the oaks stand double, for the breeze does not reach the flooded fields to ripple them. At the very edge of the water runs the woodland path and on the other side skirts the shoulders of grey rock that slope down the hill as if at any moment they might slip for good into the levels below. Under firs and pines I follow the narrow trail as it runs by a lightly wooded and thicketed extension of the water-covered flat. Through an opening in the trees a flock of ducks is raising in flight; close at hand a song sparrow flies into the bushes where only his black-marked breast can be seen.

A little way on it is evident that the path runs directly into the water, but a pair of primitive bridges have been placed across the deepest part. In some lands they would have been of stone and generation after generation would have trod the self same slabs, but here it is but a few pieces of board and a couple of small fallen trees, enough to permit a dry-shod crossing for the time being. There is always a charm about looking down on water from a bridge; perhaps because it suggests the individual's view of time as it fleets or of the generations of men as they come into the present and then pass out of sight again:

Time, like an ever-rolling stream,
Bears all its sons away;
They fly forgotten as a dream
Dies at the opening day."

Plants From Mud

BUT from such a bridge as these few boards and this pair of trees make what can be seen to stay the rambler off his course? Certainly nothing spectacular. Yet there is much for all that. Notice, for example, the numbers of young cascara plants that spring from the moist black mud, there leaves as green and silky as on any Summer day. It is a peculiarity of the cascara or buckthorn that in youth its leaves frequently do not fall as on maturer specimens, and in the woods and thickets when all but the conifers are bare youngsters of varying sizes lend touch of living green to the prevailing greyness. The parents of the seedlings can be seen close at hand, tall and rather graceful trees or shrubs with rather smooth ash-grey bark. The common name of this buckthorn is a memorial of the Spanish occupancy of California, where it was first recognized and used. "Cascara" means "bark" and "sagrada" is "holy," the two giving us in English "holy bark," with reference to its medicinal properties. Here, too, grows another interesting plant, rare in our limits, the dainty little Pyrola secunda, so named because its inflorescence is "secund" or one-sided, the flowers being white. It is common on mountain trails like that up Mount Arrowsmith or on the way to Jordan Meadows, and I have found it on an island in Shawnigan Lake. It is very widely dispersed in the northern hemisphere, rather rare in the North of England and fairly common in the Scottish mountains. Hooker found it in the Himalayas growing with the blue primroses.

Where Frost Remains

WHERE the trail is shaded the frost still remains in the moss and gives surprise to the hand, for its appearance is so little affected that its stiffness is unexpected when you stoop to gather some of it. It is interesting to see how great stretches covered predominantly with a single species, then a sudden change to another; the distribution of comparative light and shade, moisture and dryness, as well as the character of the material on which they grow, earthly soil or gravelly, rotting wood, boulders or rock outcrops. Beautiful patches of the mountain fern-moss attract the eye particularly with their delicately lacy fronds whose light yellowish green contrasts with the reddish stems.

The trail has brought me out into a broad flat, a further extension of the Langford Plains. There are a few very large Douglas firs scattered about, the branching extending almost from their bases up, an evidence that they suffered no crowding in the days of their main growth. Their great trunks measure about six feet through and they are evidently all contemporaries and probably began their life about three centuries ago or in the days of the first Charles. Scattered here and there are oaks, but they are an unhappy-looking lot, for the younger generation of firs has had a disastrous effect on them and most of them appear to be dead or dying. But now the path ends at a fence with a "No Trespassing" notice and a glimpse of farm buildings. Following the wire I come on another large pool of water within the enclosure. A brave mallard stands on a piece of plank running out over the water and presents a fine view of his handsome plumage. It is easy to see by his neck and head that he detects a suspicious presence, but he remains undaunted on his lookout. Out in the water is a butterball of bufflehead engaged in his favorite business of diving which with him is a much brisker affair than it is with the technical diver or grebe.

Industry Silenced

ACROSS the open logged-off space on my left run sundry wheel-tracks and here and there are low piles of sawdust reddened by exposure to the rains. These and sundry odds and ends of metal are mute evidences of the industry of the woods. A low growth of salal reaching in places knee-high is varied not altogether pleasantly with the runners of blackberries and the slender prickly branches of wild roses. One track leads me to the edge of the same water-filled depression I crossed by the extemporized bridge, but here the hollow lies considerably lower and the water is seen through groves of cedar, alder and balsam fir. On the sloping banks the salal becomes taller and here and there a slender prickly branch of black-cap raspberry, with its whitish bloom, trails across the path. Clusters of scouring-rush horsetail stand up on the water's edge reminding you that there was a day once upon a time when their ancestors were giants of the forest and their innumerable neighbors of today were as yet unknown. The tempting woods beyond the valley are not to be reached except by wading; so another route is taken, this time in the direction of some rock ledges. But an open grassy space and the warm bright sun are unconsciously advertised by a pair of wrens that make the surrounding salal noisy with their reiterated "che-che-che-che." Their warm color is seen here in all its beauty of composite markings or vermiculations. The little birds seemed so friendly with their "peepings and scoldings," as John Burroughs called their similar behavior in the East that I spent half an hour on an old box with my back to a tree and the little north breeze with my sandwiches and a pipe. Alas! when the little birds found me no longer a wanderer, they lost all interest in me and disappeared among the salal.

Absence of Birds

SUCH an axe-made opening as I looked out upon is not in itself particularly interesting or picturesque. The vegetation is generally speaking scant and shows the dry nature of the gravelly plain. With the exception of the few large firs already referred to the timber still fringing the region has nothing exceptional about it. There is an almost complete absence of birds and it is too early for the conspicuous members of the insect world. And yet it is surprising how much of interest and indeed of beauty is to be found with a little patient looking, and particularly with the exercise of a little imagination. Here naturalist and mystic agree in the words of Blake:

To see a world in a grain of sand,
And a heaven in a wild flower,
Hold infinity in the palm of your hand,
And eternity in an hour.

Without going into the profundities, however, it is certain that an extraordinary amount of interesting material lies at hand at everywhere for what I may call "mental treatment." John Ruskin could see diamonds and sapphires in the unclean mud of a manufacturing town's footpath, and I feel sure that if love of rambling and clambering did not take me into the forests and hills, along lake-shores and sea-cliffs, I should still be able to find many an interesting history within the confines of a city lot.

Colwood Plains

AT any rate, I have not far to go here in this corner of the Colwood Plains to find real beauty even if the arrow of my search be casually directed. A rude path leads from my nooning place into the forest edge and then leaves me in the presence of a great outcrop of rock up which I proceed to make my way. The lowest part has its sloping surface covered with lowly lichens and mosses as usual, but here the former are by far the most conspicuous and particularly the cup lichens whose graceful chalices look as if they had been carved by fairy hands out of a pale malachite. The clusters of these standing out against the very different greens of the mosses are attractive. But what shall we say of the scarlet lichens that meet us on the succeeding rock surface? Their stems are of the same pale milky green, but encircled with the most delightful little frills, some of almost microscopic size, others like tiny irregular leaves, all green above and white below. And then on top are the little knobs of scarlet like sealing-wax, or the red tops of the wing-quills that give the wax-wing its common name. Then there are spiky-looking lichens and lichens with dark chestnut brown tips and occasionally a clump of reindeer moss as another familiar form is called. Finally the last and topmost ridge is reached and it is covered with a deep-piled carpet of mosses freed from the frost's clutch and now giving to the walker a sense of silent luxury, while their varying colors and textures in the bright sunshine are in their richness equally delightful to the eye. As some lines of an author unknown to me express it:

"There to charm the curious eye
A host of hidden treasures lie,
A microscopic world that tells
That not alone in trees and flowers
The spirit bright of beauty dwells."

Rich Mats of Grass

IN the depressions between the successive ridges the kinnikinnik grows, but is rather straggly, probably because here there is little direct light except in the hours about noon. The rich mats of the exposed hills are missing. Here grows a very interesting arbutus tree, interesting because of an oddity in its appearance. The diameter of the tree is about fourteen inches, and from the ground to the first branch about eleven feet. Between the angle made by the branch with the trunk and a point about a foot from the base of the tree is a curious projection outwards of the inner substance of the tree. It forms a slender ridge about three and a half inches in height at the highest part, and about two to two and a half at its greatest width. It suggests in its form an igneous dike and has apparently been caused by the tree's success in filling up with new growth a longitudinal crack or split in the trunk. The smoothness of the filling combined with a sort of rippling in the lower part and a tendency to narrow somewhat abruptly along its crest, and the contrast between its fresh smoothness and the scaly bark of the adjoining surface of the trunk, makes it peculiarly noticeable.

The outcrop of rock rises upward by at least three stages to a bold summit, flattish but standing out well with its southern face and east and west walls inclined to be precipitous in comparison with the gently sloping surfaces rising from the east. It has, in fact, the characteristics of glaciated ridges generally, retained when merely superficial marks are obscured or gone. Looking down on the plain below and then at the sides of this mass of rock you can without much difficulty see that it forms an islet in the surrounding sediments and must at one time have been a true islet surrounded by water, the water of the ancient Colwood River as it mingled with the salt sea. Deep below on the right is the long depression with its moisture almost wholly concealed by dark thickets of shrubbery and coarse grasses.

The Flooded Plains

RETURNING to the original path I cross the water and make my way up the long ridge that commands a view of the lake and of the flooded plains through openings in the scattered trees. I notice in a damp hollow numbers of the little bird's nest funguses, growing on pieces of rotting wood. They are so neat and symmetrical, these little creamy white round boxes about three-sixteenths of an inch across and about the same in height, and so regularly placed, that they have a look of artificiality about them. Still more do they have it when after the passing of their first stage in which they are domed over with a roof like that of an observatory, they lose their cover and display within a number of white disk-like bodies which are their mode of reproduction.

The afternoon sun now catches the sides of the great rocks and illuminates with special brightness the mosses, and especially those whose capsule stems are of a gleaming red or gold. The whole surface of the harsh and rugged diorite becomes transformed and appears to be hidden by a veil of fire. In the placid lake below the ducks make long lines across the dark water, and about the shore the sweet-gale is a border of silvery purple. I have by me as I write some of its twigs with their clusters of little staminate cones. In the warmth of the house they have opened, and their red scales and yellow anthers are very beautiful indeed.

The Bark John Bright Lost With All Aboard

By GEORGE BONAVIA

TRAGIC news of the loss of the British bark John Bright with all hands near Nootka Sound reached Victoria on March 12, 1869, when Captain J. Christianson brought the schooner Surprise in from the rock-bound West Coast.

Christianson believed the bark met her doom about February 8 during a heavy gale which lashed the coast for two days. He sighted the wreck lying off a rocky beach about three miles south of Nootka Sound, close to an Indian village. She was lying on her beam ends while the sea made a clean sweep over the battered deck. Her foremast alone remained intact.

Several days later Christianson was able to board the wreck. He found she had been laden with lumber which lay scattered along the beach. Everything movable had disappeared. Even the deckhouse was missing. Indians informed Christianson that the crew had been drowned, and no bodies were washed ashore.

Several contradictory stories from the aborigines aroused the captain's suspicion. Upon diligent inquiry he found two bodies had floated off the bark. One of the bodies, that of a woman with long flowing hair, lay on the beach above high water mark.

Owing to the condition of the remains, it was impossible to tell if violence had been committed. The woman's clothing had been stripped off by a squaw.

Locates Jewelry

THREE rings taken from fingers of the corpse were purchased by Captain Christianson, together with an account book from the John Bright. One was a wedding ring, and another was engraved with the initials "P.M." The captain was unable to find the other body supposedly cast ashore.

Investigation revealed the name of the bark had been hacked from her stern. One of the Indians claimed to have seen the bark before she struck the rocks, trying to beat off the coast.

Christianson stated he found the vessel on a dangerous reef with rough water separating the beach. He understood she was supposed to have sailed from Port Townsend for South America about February 1, 1869, and from appearances was an old ship.

On March 13 The British Colonist stated in an editorial:

"The intelligence of another shipwreck on the West Coast, the horrible suspicion evoked by the reticence of the natives, and the convincing proof of their complicity in the hideous act of stripping corpses are startling evidences of the necessity that still exists of the presence here of a strong naval force, prepared to furnish the fullest protection of Her Majesty's subjects.

"We hope that the strictest inquiry will be made at once into circumstances attendant upon this tragedy, and that, should it appear that the savages have murdered the passengers and crew, a punishment commensurate with their crime will be visited upon them."

Wife Aboard Ship

A MAN who assisted in loading the bark with lumber at Port Gamble arrived at Victoria on March 15. He said in addition to the crew, the captain's wife and two children had been aboard.

When the schooner Alert arrived in port on March 30, Captain Carleton reported burying remains of the woman seen on the beach by Captain Christianson. He brought back a few blocks belonging to the John Bright, and stated that he found a damaged ship's boat near the wreck. He said the Indians had large quantities of stores and gear from the vessel, and were fearful of a visit from an Esquimalt gunboat.

Gruesome news was heard on April 22 when the schooner Reserve tied up from the West Coast. Captain Francis related that Captain Christianson visited the scene of the wreck again on March 30 and found the headless remains of six white men, apparently recently slaughtered by the Indians. Francis believed the men had hidden from the savages and were killed in cold blood when looking for shellfish on the beach.

Christianson told Francis: "As I walked through the Indian village of Kesquaht a crowd of scowling natives followed me everywhere. They carried knives scarcely concealed by their blankets."

Francis was of the opinion that the captain of the John Bright and his wife remained on the beach while the crew went in search of food. They were murdered without a chance to defend themselves, and the crew took to the woods when they found what had happened.

Children on Vessel

NEIL Morrison, Port Ludlow shipwright, stated on April 30 that the captain of the John Bright was a Welshman married to a Chilian woman. He believed their two sons, three daughters and a servant girl had been aboard.

Fifty Victorians armed themselves with pistols, rifles and knives, and volunteered to sail up the West Coast to wipe out the Indians who murdered those off the wrecked bark. They were told by the Government that instant action would be taken.

Commanded by Captain Mist, H.M.S. Sparrowhawk left for the West Coast on May 3. Hon. H. M. Ball, Attorney-General and W. J. Macdonald, J.P., were aboard. Captain Christianson joined the vessel at Barclay Sound to guide her to the wreck. H.M.S. Sattelite proceeded close astern.

A large force of heavily armed marines was sent ashore near the scene of the wreck. Bodies of the John Bright's crew were exhumed and examined by a naval surgeon. Several Indians thought to have participated in the mass murder were arrested. A coroner's jury empaneled on the spot returned a verdict of wilful murder.

At Victoria on May 27 a grand jury presented its regret at the delay which occurred before active measures were taken by the authorities to investigate the John Bright murders. True bills were returned in the cases of four Indians who pleaded not guilty to murder charges.

Grand jurors were: R. Burnaby (foreman), T. L. Stahlschmidt, B. Carr, G. T. Stuart, J. Wilkie, D. Leneven, M. T. Johnson, T. Lowe, T. Tye, A. J. Langley, G. R. Fardon, M. Moore, B. F. Griffin, R. Finlayson, R. Harvey, E. Mallandaine, T. Allsop, H. B. Good, T. Nuttall, R. Beaven, W. C. Ward, L. Franklin and J. Gillon.

On June 23, Ani-che-chest and Katinka, both Indians, were sentenced to be hanged for the John Bright murders. Two other savages who turned King's evidence escaped with prison sentences.

Growing Use of Air Transport

ONE of the barometers in the growth of modern air travel is to be found in the increasing use of the flying routes by business men. And this raises a point which a group of experts found themselves discussing at the London airport, Croydon, the other day.

The question was expressed in the words: "Who are the most regular users of passenger air travel at the present time?"

One of the best ways of throwing light on this particular problem is to examine some of the latest aspects of the "bulk travel" system operated by Imperial Airways.

Putting the matter briefly, this system works in the following way. Any big commercial organization or business house, knowing that its representatives will be making a certain definite use of air travel during a specified period ahead can enter into an arrangement with Imperial Airways to purchase a specified amount of air transport on "bulk" terms, obtaining special books of vouchers which can be exchanged for ordinary air tickets not only at any of the company's European stations, but also at all the Continental stations of members of the International Air Traffic Association. And, by their employment of this system, such bulk users of the air can obtain appreciable percentage reductions on ordinary passenger fares.

Bulk Travel System

IT is interesting to discuss this bulk travel system with one of the experts concerned in its operation.

"When the scheme started," he remarked "one may say that air travel was just beginning to be adopted on a regular routine basis by certain big industries and commercial organizations. Today, however, it would be difficult to place any kind of limit on the commercial use of this "bulk" system. We find that all kinds of firms are now buying "bulk" air travel. One interesting point concerns big London shops and stores. They find it necessary to send expert buyers on frequent journeys to and from the Continent, and many such trips as these are now made by airway rather than by surface transport. Often it is a case of a buyer arriving as soon as possible to view some new line of goods and to make a decision as to its purchase; and a quick trip by way of the air may give him an advantage over the representative of some rival organization. A striking example in this direction is to be found in connection with the fur trade. This is a very specialized and expert business, and firms in London rush their buyers out to points so far distant as Russia to attend big fur sales and make their purchases. Most of these fur buyers use air transport in all cases where it is possible to do so, as the time factor is often of considerable importance. In one instance, not long ago, after acquiring some valuable furs at a Russian sale, a buyer dashed back with them to London by a combination of car, train and airplane, reducing to a matter of hours a journey which would otherwise have taken days.

For Urgent Journeys

BIG motor car organizations are frequent users of air transport. Apart from sending their representatives by scheduled services, they sometimes charter special aircraft for urgent journeys. Not long ago one big firm, needing to send some of its technicians on a tour which took them across Europe and into the Near East, chartered a couple of special saloon planes for the trip, flying from city to city and saving, of course, an immense amount of time as compared with surface transport.

Then you have firms which have depots or local agencies in various countries and which need to send inspectors and accountants on fairly frequent tours extending over considerable distances. One firm I have in mind is a big cash register organization. Another is connected with the stationery trade. They make a regular use of European air travel in sending their experts on journeys to visit their various branch organizations.

Prominent among bulk users of air transport are big engineering concerns. Such firms have contracts which they are negotiating, or executing, in many different countries, and fast air travel now solves many of their problems. It may be a case of rushing out some expert to a distant city to discuss details of an impending contract; and after that, while the work is actually in progress, the air routes can be used to send engineers and technicians to deal with any incidental problems that may arise.

To Far-Away Lands

ONE example of the use of air transport by big commercial organizations occurred during the establishment of new oil wells at Behrein on the Persian Gulf. While this work was in progress, engineers and technicians were flying constantly by Imperial Airways from England to the Persian Gulf, such air facilities proving of the utmost value. And many similar cases could be quoted nowadays.

Although, according to the latest statistics available, business men predominate on both European and Empire air routes, there are, of course, many other travelers who now take advantage of the speed and comfort of modern flying. On the big Empire flying boats many passengers are Government officials and others, flying home to England on their periods of leave. And by using the air routes in both directions they are able to spend much more time actually in the Home Country than would be the case if they went by the slower surface routes.

Then on both the European and Empire services there are passengers who are flying for health or pleasure, many of them being travelers who are making world trips by a combination of air and sea transport. Statistics also show that a good many air passengers are making urgent journeys for purely personal reasons—such, for example, as a dash to attend some wedding, or a sudden decision to be present at a family reunion.

Some air passengers are those who have been summoned urgently to the bedside of a sick relative; while the air routes are also used, on an increasing scale, for the transport of invalids or patients whose condition might make it doubtful whether they would be able to undergo the fatigue of any long surface transport journey. Doctors now send their patients across from London to the Continent by air to receive special treatment at European spas, while patients from overseas are rushed through the air to London to undergo some urgent operation. A typical example in the latter direction occurred not long ago. A patient in India, taken gravely ill, needed urgent operative treatment of a special kind, and it was decided to transport him immediately by Empire flying boat to England. This journey was accomplished in three days, without the patient suffering any ill-effects, and an immediate operation was performed successfully in London.

The teacher wrote on the blackboard: "The horse and the cow is in the stable."

"Now," she said to a little boy, "what is wrong with that sentence?"

"Well, miss, you should say 'The cow and the horse is in the stable.'"

"Why?"

"Ladies first."

No Absentee Control

By J. Edward Norcross

Problem Children—Rheumatics are Bad—Cost of Government—Huge Loans Authorized—Farmers and Politics—Unemployment

LONDON (By Mail).—Major-General Sir Reginald Ford is undoubtedly a very able man. He was wholly responsible for the transport of munitions and stores to France during the latter part of the war, and that, unquestionably, was a very big job. By all accounts, Sir Reginald did it very well.

So, although Sir Reginald is now seventy years of age, there would have been little objection to the appointment of the old war-horse to the position of Food Controller for London under the scheme of regional officers which is to come into operation on the outbreak of war. As Mr. Oliver Stanley, President of the Board of Trade, said, when the matter came up in the House, Mr. Chamberlain is not too old at seventy for heavier responsibilities.

Even the retaining fee of 250 guineas (312.50) per annum, paid to Sir Reginald over and above his pension of of £1,000 ($5,000), might have been allowed to pass without much comment, although, as was pointed out, many leaders of industry have been giving their time, their brains and their energy without reward in the cause of national defence precautions and the Government is asking for millions of workers who are to give their services free.

But what many members of the House found they could not stomach was that, while receiving his £1,000 and his 250 guineas from the public treasury, Sir Reginald was doing his food controlling at long distance. He was living in Belgium.

Moreover, he had said that he intended to settle down in Belgium altogether if it suited him to do so. He could get from Brussels to London by air in two hours and a half whenever necessary, and residence abroad, therefore, would not interfere with his duties in London.

Not only Opposition members, but Conservative members also, declared this attitude an affront to public opinion. Nor did it escape notice that being domiciled abroad enabled a man to evade taxes he would have to pay if he lived in Great Britain.

Mr. Oliver Stanley, who had made the appointment, said what he could in defence of it, but bowed to the opinion of the House, declaring himself "very much impressed" with the views of members and undertaking to consider the matter in the light of them.

Under the circumstances, it might have been expected that Sir Reginald would relieve Mr. Stanley from an embarrassing situation by resigning forthwith, or, in the alternative, undertaking to live in or near London.

The stout old warrior, however, had no great opinion of mere members of Parliament. He was, in fact, reported to have called what had passed in the House "idle chatter," but this was denied. He did say, it is understood, one day when he came across from Brussels to see how things were getting on at the office, that such a thing as resignation had never entered his head. Neither, as it appeared later, had living in London.

In the end, however, he found the House of Commons too strong for him. So a governmental episode which would would have fitted neatly into "The Mikado" was brought to a close, Sir Reginald deciding to live in Brussels and throw up his appointment as Food Controller of the metropolis.

Mr Stanley explained it all very nicely, but some members seemed to see something humorous in it when he expressed his appreciation of Sir Reginald's display of "public spirit."

Birching in School

THE fine old chaps who got jolly well caned at school—"never did me a bit of harm, sir"—had their innings when the standing committee considered the Government's Criminal Justice Bill last week. The bill abolishes corporal punishment for both adults and adolescents.

"In certain circumstances birching is by far the best remedy," said a Conservative member. "When we were boys we were very often whacked. We far preferred it. We thought it was far better to be whacked and get it done with rather than to keep on nursing a feeling of resentment."

Another Conservative said a good deal of nonsense was talked about birching. "I stand before the committee," he continued, "as one who has been well beaten in my time, and I never had any resentment at any time. I would infinitely have preferred that form of punishment to being kept in at times when I could enjoy myself outside."

A Labor member took up the tale as one who had had experience both of suffering and of administering corporal punishment.

"The price of a day's truancy was known," he said, "and was cheerfully paid by the offender when he turned up next day, having taken great care to protect himself by adequate reinforcement in the part that was likely to be affected."

The "problem child" was discussed at a later stage. One member mentioned the case of a boy who had been put into a cell to frighten him after he had stolen some lamps. Policemen, he said, were sent to the cell to talk to the boy, and when he was sent home he landed with a policeman's lamp.

Then, the member continued, there was the case of a girl who took her baby sister out in a perambulator and came to an arcade where she found eleven perambulators containing babies.

"When the mothers came out," he concluded," they found that they all had other people's children, for the little girl had changed the babies from their prams to others."

The House laughed over these stories, but Sir Archibald Southby, who sits for Epsom, remarked reprovingly that members seemed to forget that some of the "problem" children were really unpleasant little people, whom a little stern discipline would speedily cure.

"Let us use common sense," he said. "We tend to get sloppier, sloppier and sloppier as regards punishment, and it is time to enter some protest."

Rise of Bubbles

ELDERLY readers of this correspondence who lived in this country half a century ago will remember how a big soap manufacturing company revolutionized poster advertising by using reproductions in color of beautiful pictures to make their wares known. These were not painted specially for the purpose, but were acquired because they fitted in with it.

One of the most famous bore a title that became a household expression in my young days, "He won't be happy till he gets it." It was a picture of a baby in a bath trying to recover a piece of soap (the advertiser's soap, of course) which had fallen on the floor out of his reach. If memory serves, the words were made the refrain of a popular song.

Another such picture was painted by a great artist, Sir John Millais, who drew his little grandson blowing soap-bubbles. The title was simply "Bubbles."

Popularized by the soap concern, the picture became famous and little Willie James, the grandson, blew his bubbles on every hoarding in the land.

It was unfortunate for the little boy. As was to be expected, the name "Bubbles" pursued him when he went to school and in after years when he became a midshipman in the Royal Navy. Notwithstanding this handicap, however, he became a distinguished officer. He fought at Jutland, had a narrow escape and was reported dead.

And now Admiral Sir William M. James has been appointed Commander-in-Chief at Portsmouth in succession to Admiral of the Fleet, the Earl of Cork and Orrery. But they still call him "Bubbles James" in His Majesty's ships.

Toll of Rheumatism

RHEUMATISM should rank as "Public Enemy No. 1," according to Dr. Halis Daily, medical referee under the London County Council's rheumatism scheme.

Addressing a conference at the Hospitals and Nursing Exhibition, Dr. Halis Daily said that in the nineteenth century tuberculosis was the chief bane. In the twentieth century rheumatism was the most potent cause of disability and death afflicting the population of Great Britain.

He went on to make a statement appalling to people who have suffered from rheumatism and know how terribly painful it can be. He said it was estimated that 25,000 deaths ann ally were due to acute rheumatism. In its ravages among the community rheumatism outweighed the combined effects of tuberculosis and cancer.

Extended and practical interest in rheumatism began only as recently as 1924, when the Ministry of Health published a report based on an investigation of 91,000 cases, 58,000 men and 33,000 women, and demonstrated the extent and economic damage to national health caused by the malady, he concluded

The problem of rheumatism is complicated by the fact that so little is known about it. A well-known Canadian doctor once told the present writer that it seemed to be not one, but five distinct diseases. The late Sir William Osler used to speak of "the great confusion that is rheumatism."

As The Daily Telegraph remarks, organic heart disease, which is responsible for over a third of the annual death roll in England, is principally rheumatic in its origin, and many doctors are of the opinion that much of what is known as influenza is a rheumatic infection. The bill paid for rheumatism under the Health Insurance Acts amounts to $85,000,000 annually.

So far comparatively little has been done to combat the disease in a large way. It is a stealthy ailment which the patient may endure for years and which, unlike cancer and tuberculosis, is not feared as almost necessarily fatal. Public attention has not been directed to the mischief it does, which is probably why with a thousand or more hospitals in the country fewer than fifty have special rheumatic departments, while under 10 per cent of the adult sufferers and hardly a quarter of the juvenile patients can obtain specialized treatment.

The National Debt

ONCE upon a time, when Gladstone was Leader of the Opposition, the Government budgeted for a sum so much larger than usual that he exclaimed: "If they can't manage on £70,000,000 ($350,000,000) they ought not to manage at all," meaning that £70,000,000 should cover the entire expenditure, civil and military, and interest on the national debt, together with provision for the sinking fund.

But expenditure increased and budgets passed the half-billion dollar mark, and were approaching the billion when the Great War broke out. It was during this period that a great statesman spoke of Great Britain as a weary Titan staggering under an intolerable burden. The national debt then stood at about $3,500,000,000.

The national debt is now between thirty-five and forty billions, expressed in dollars, and during the next financial year $2,900,000,000 is to be spent on the defence services alone, the air force absorbing rather more than a billion.

The country gasped when, during the early days of the war, it was told that the struggle was costing $5,000,000 a day. During the current financial year, which closes March 31, defence has cost as much without any war at all. The estimates for next year, 1939-40, disclose that the diurnal expenditure will be at the rate of $7,500,000.

FERRY STEAMER COMES INTO PORT
The Above Photograph Shows One of the "Princesses" of the British Columbia Coast Steamship Service About to Enter Victoria Harbor. The Photograph Was Taken From the Roof of the Grain Elevator That Stands at the Port Entrance.

The figures are set forth in a White Paper. Two years ago the Five-Year Plan was entered on. It provided for a total expenditure on defence of $7,500,000,000, spread over the period. Of this vast sum $6,250,000,000 will have been expended by the end of the third year, so that in March, 1939, the programme will be about twelve months ahead of schedule.

Recognizing that the load would be too heavy for the taxpayer the Government took power two years ago to borrow $2,000,000,000. It has by no means exhausted this sum, having, in point of fact, defrayed five-sevenths of the defence expenditure of the first two years from taxes. But with the amount for the coming year up by $875,000,000, as compared with that for the current year, and with further heavy expenditures to be met in 1940-41, Parliament is being asked to allow another $2,000,000,000 to be borrowed.

Estimates for Defence

TO obtain power to borrow money is not necessarily to borrow it and, since the defence estimates showed that expenditure was to be so heavily increased in 1939-40, there has been considerable speculation, since the publication of the White Paper, as to how much of the increase would be obtained by borrowing and how much from the taxpayer.

Sir John Simon has now satisfied this legitimate curiosity. "Of the $2,900,000,000 for defence this year," he told the House of Commons, "I have made the assumption that $1,150,000,000 will be available out of revenue. That will leave $1,750,000,000 to be met out of loan account."

This does not necessarily mean that there will be no increase in taxation. Indeed, the Chancellor of the Exchequer was careful to add a warning, later emphasized by Mr. Chamberlain. No one should draw any further conclusion from the figures, Sir John said.

Nevertheless it is generally believed in the House that the standard rate of income tax will remain at 27.5 per cent (5s 6d in the £) for another year. One reason for thinking so is that Sir John stated that during the curren year $1,370,000,000 was being provided from revenue, whereas in 1939-40 he proposed to call on the taxpayer for only $1,150,000,000. He gave no explanation and not until he opens his budget in April will it be known whether the decrease of $220,000,000 is based on an anticipated decline in the yield of taxation, or on heavier demands for civil purposes, such as assistance to shipping and agriculture.

The worst of it is that there is no sign of an end to this monstrous spending. Fortunately, though the Titan be weary, he is still able to struggle on. Indeed, the White Paper may be read as a message to Germany and Italy: "We can and will stand it as long as you can."

Sir John did not put it quite so bluntly, but the same meaning could be read into his concluding sentences:

"We all see how formidable these figures are and have some appreciation of what the heavy burden means. They are incurred in view of the enormous responsibilities which we carry under serious necessity.

"It is deplorable, it is grievous, and, in my opinion, it is terrible that so large a part of the resources of the world should be devoted to this purpose. Otherwise they might be available to promote and sustain peaceful progress.

"A general limitation of armaments effectively secured would undoubtedly rapidly change the outlook. If we have to face a continuance of these heavy burdens let us at least remember that other countries feel this burden as well as ourselves.

"Let us be confident that our own land, with its financial strength and with those other resources, which are the more patent because they are beyond money value, British character and democratic faith, will be able to stand the strain."

Borrowing Prosperity

BOTH inside and outside the House there is some difference of opinion as to whether it would not have been better to borrow less and levy heavier taxation. On the whole, however, the feeling is one of relief that the Chancellor of the Exchequer has taken the bold step of going to the money market for the largest sum ever borrowed in a single year under peace conditions by a British Government.

There is another consideration. As one leading newspaper remarks: "The $1,750,000,000 defence loan will put to a practical test the theory, now fashionable among certain economists, that Government borrowing, if it is only on a large enough scale, is an effective antidote to trade depression.

"If it is true, as is generally computed, that the annual savings of this country are of the order of $2,000,000,000, then the prospective borrowing will insure that none of these savings will be left idle.

"In fact, the mere announcement of the huge loan programme should by itself give a healthy stimulus to trade revival."

Even the Labor Party are not opposing the loan bill. Two years ago they voted against the last defence loans bill at every stage, but they are contenting themselves this time with moving an amendment reducing the amount to be borrowed by $5,000,000, described by Mr. Dalton as a "token" amount.

A reduction, small in proportion to the sum to be voted, is the usual way of expressing disapproval of the Government. Traditionally, however, the amount is $500, large enough, nevertheless, should the amendment be carried, to put a government out of office.

Criticism in general was not that the Government was spending too much on armaments. On the contrary, fault was found with the allocation of only $205,000,000 to air raids precautions and civil defence, which, however, is more than five times as much as was voted for this purpose last year.

There were allegations of profiteering and signs are not wanting that this will develop into a major issue before very long.

East Norfolk Vote

THE revolt of the Conservative farmers against the Government did not get very far. There was much talk of running independent Conservative candidates in rural districts known to be solidly Conservative from an election standpoint. Two were named, one for the East Norfolk division and another for Holderness in Yorkshire. The first withdrew at the last moment, but Colonel R. Chichester-Constable, who ran in Holderness, was made of sterner stuff. As already reported, East Norfolk afforded the Government an easy victory in a straight contest.

The persistence of the farmers' candidate in Holderness, however, resulted in a four-cornered fight, the Government nominee being opposed by a Liberal and a Labor candidate also, the two latter having fought in the general election against Sir S. Savery, who had scored a majority over both of them put together and whose death had now occasioned the vacancy.

The result was painful for the colonel. He came in at the bottom of the poll, while the official Conservative candidate got home with a substantial majority, though with a loss of 4,000 votes. The Liberal and Labor polls were up a little in each case, accounting for 2,000 more votes in all. Curiously enough, the total number of votes polled was 4,500 greater than in 1935.

The outcome is pointed to by the adherents of Sir Stafford Cripps as showing that, as the opponents of the Government candidate polled among them 9,580 votes more than he did, a single "Popular Front" candidate would have defeated him. This, however, by no means follows. Electoral arithmetic is not so simple as that. Conceivably a large proportion of the Labor and Liberal adherents might have voted for an agreed candidate from either party, but no one has yet succeeded in gathering the votes of disgruntled Conservatives for anyone but another disgruntled Conservative.

The movement promoted by Sir Stafford seems to be getting stronger. He has acquired a number of notable supporters, among them Professors Haldane, Reilly and Wells Coats, Lady Violet Bonham-Carter, Lord Davies, Professor J. M. Keynes, H. N. Brailsford, Gerald Barry, Isaac Foot, Vernon Bartlet and Sir Charles Trevelyan.

These are important people, but they belong to the intellectual type mistrusted by the sturdy trades unionists in control at Transport House. It is much more to the point that a number of unions and local Labor organizations have given Sir Stafford their support, and that the president of the Mineworkers' Federation vigorously endorses him.

Sir Stafford has no organization to speak of, but he has sympathizers in nearly all constituencies who are canvassing for signatures to his petition in favor of the "Popular Front," which is to be presented at the Labor Party conference in May. Although ejected from the Labor Party, he is, in fact, out to capture the conference and have the decision reversed. There has been no one-man fight in politics quite like it since Mr. Lloyd George began his "New Deal" campaign at Bangor four or five years ago.

Workless People

THE Labor Party made a bad mistake in tactics in connection with the debate on unemployment. It had moved a vote of censure attacking the Government as what Mr. Greenwood called "a melancholy set of Micawbers" who were doing nothing to solve the problem created by more than 2,000,000 workless people.

So far, so good. The country is genuinely disturbed about unemployment and, while the motion could not have been passed, it would have received a great deal more support in the House of Commons had it not been for its inclusion of an assertion that the only remedy was the application of Socialist principles.

Had this been left out and had the Labor speakers confined themselves to practical suggestions they might have found a number of back-benchers of the other parties with them, but these could not be expected to favor what appeared to be a manifesto against the Popular Front more than a genuine effort on behalf of the unemployed.

Mr. Ernest Brown, the Labor minister, was happily able to tell the House that the very latest figures showed that unemployment had again receded below the 2,000,000 mark. He objected to the unemployed being spoken of as a "standing army" 2,000,000 strong. More than three-quarters of the 2,000,000 had been unemployed less than six weeks. Only 289,000 had been out of work for a year or more.

Two groups of the unemployed are causing concern, those over forty-five, an increasing proportion, who, once out of work, never seem to find work again, and the thousands of young men who have attained adult age without ever doing any work at all. As regards the latter The Times points out that other countries are ahead of Great Britain in their treatment of this particular problem, adducing the camps for young men in the United States and the Special Service Battalion in South Africa.

The Ministry of Labor, Mr. Brown announced, is to take in hand the other problem, that of the elderly workless, calling a round-table conference in which representatives of the Trades Union Congress and the National Confederation of Employers will take part.

While 56 per cent of the total of permanently unemployed are over forty-five, more than 150,000 all told, it is only lately that this particular group has constituted a problem by itself. Nor is the problem peculiar to Great Britain. Inquiries in Belgium, Germany, Switzerland, the United States and Austria, as well as in this country, reveal that though there was no sign of excessive unemployment among the elderly before or during the depression they have tended since then to be more affected than any other age group.

The evidence and the finding are contained in a recent report issued by International Labor Office, the conclusion being that the problem of the elderly unemployed has almost all at once become "the most serious social problem the governments of the world have to face."

Lawyers Are Clever

NO sooner is a new law made to protect people against extortion or swindling than clever lawyers find some way of evading it.

The latest example is the Hire-Purchase Act, designed to prevent certain practices of rascally firms engaged in the business of selling goods on the instalment plan. This is the act that Miss Ellen Wilkinson, Labor member for Jarrow, worked so hard to get on the Statute Book. Under the act vendors must guarantee the fitness of articles sold, and it suppresses the abominable "snatch-back" procedure, whereby a purchaser who had met almost all the instalments might lose the goods through being a few days late with one of the last of them.

But an ingenious scheme has now been formulated by which all these salutary provisions are side-tracked. The act applies to hire-purchase; the new contract cuts out the purchase, the agreement being on its face for hire only. Instalments are paid in the usual way, but the condition is appended that when they are all paid the "hirer," not the "purchaser," shall have the option of renewing the hiring of the goods, year after year, by payment to the "owners" of 2s 6d (60 cents) annually in advance.

In practice the "hirer" will become the owner when the usual instalments are all paid, there being a sort of "gentleman's agreement" that no demand will be made for the annual half-corwn. Legally, however, title is vested in the party of the first part and never passes to the "hirer."

There is just a possibility that "Hire-Only" substitutes for "Hire-Purchase" contracts will be declared invalid by the courts, but, if not, the Hire-Purchase Act may become a dead letter in those branches of the hire-purchase business where it is most needed.

Amend Secrets Act

THE Official Secrets Act is to be amended, a bill having been brought in by the Government with that object.

It is a short enactment with one operative clause. This amends Clause 6 in the act of 1920, that which gave the police power to require any person, under heavy penalty, to give them any information he may have relating to an offence under the principal act. The principal act was directed against "spying" and other actions "prejudicial to the safety or interests of the state."

Clause 6, however, has been used by the police in several cases which had nothing to do with spying. One newspaper reporter was brought up and punished because he refused to tell the source of certain information he had published relating to ordinary police activities. The Government promised that this sort of thing should not happen any more, but the newspapers insisted that it should be made legally impossible, and eventually the Home Secretary undertook to see if a satisfactory clause could be drafted with this in view.

The result is the present bill which provides that the application of the act shall be confined strictly to cases of espionage and actions prejudicial to the safety of the state, and that, even then, permission to bring proceedings must be obtained from the Secretary of State except in case of great emergency.

The bill meets the wishes of the newspapers. It definitely terminates such right as the police deemed they had to question reporters on the sources of their "stories," and so hamper them in their proper work of obtaining and publishing the news of the day.

Children in Wartime

SHOULD the evacuation of children from congested areas become necessary some of them may find themselves in what will seem to them a veritable fairyland after the narrow streets and grimy courts from which they are taken.

All over the country the owners of great houses are offering accommodation for large numbers of children, the Duke of Connaught, now in his eighty-ninth year, setting an example by undertaking to house 200 at his country residence, Bagshot Park.

Bagshot Park is a lovely place in Berkshire. The state, which is three miles from Ascot, covers many acres. The Duke has made the mansion one of his homes ever since his marriage in 1879. During her lifetime the Duchess made the rose garden her special care, and since her death the Duke has devoted his attention to it.

One may imagine the delight of the lucky East End youngsters who are sent to this beautiful demesne.

Colors for Court

QUEEN Elizabeth has saved the market for the manufacturers of colored dress fabrics of the more expensive grades. A rumor had got about that all dresses worn at this year's court functions must be white. An official mentioned this to Her Majesty when she was watching a display in the fashion theatre at the British Industries Fair.

"Oh, no," she replied, "any colors will be suitable provided they are not too bright. Bright reds and blues, for instance, would not be wise, because they are likely to clash with the uniforms.

"I think," she continued, "it is a pity that so many debutantes think they ought to wear white at court. I like pastel colors or all kinds".

Honor for Duke

PREPARATIONS are already afoot for the installation of the Duke of Kent as Grand Master of English Freemasons, which will take place in July. Even the Grand Temple is not deemed large enough for the ceremony, and it is probable that it will be transferred to the Albert Hall. It was there that the Duke of Windsor, when Prince of Wales, was installed Grand Senior Warden.

The Duke is to be invited to become Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of New South Wales when he goes to Australia, as were two of his predecessors. There is some doubt, however, as to whether, as Grand Master of English Freemasons, he can accept.

Suburb and Country

AGRICULTURE IS A FIRST PRINCIPLE: ON IT RESTS THE LIFE AND HAPPINESS OF MANKIND—Julian A. Dimock

Brightening Shaded Spots With Colorful Primroses

A COOL, damp place, where the soil is rich and deep, the drainage fairly good, and shadows are inclined to linger, especially during the hottest part of the day, is ideal for growing primulas.

Though not every property has a spot with this combination of conditions to begin with, there are few home owners who cannot find some shade—whether beneath the outflung branches of a tree, on the cool side of a huge rock or stone wall, or even on the north side of the house—in which to start a few primula seedlings. The rest of the conditions can be created.

If there is a tiny stream trickling through the garden, hardy primulas will enjoy growing along its edge. A bog garden, or moraine, is also a suitable location, and in a woodsy nook primulas will mingle with wildlings. Providing richness will be no problem. If well-rotted, strawy cow manure is not available, compost or peatmoss may be used, and primulas revel in leaf mould.

For the gardener whose time is limited, the polyanthus or bunch primroses are perhaps the easiest to grow.

Easily Propagated

FEW home gardeners realize the ease with which primulas may be increased—especially from seed. True, some varieties are more difficult than others, but as a rule many sturdy little fellows may be grown from a single packet of fine seed that actually costs no more than one good plant. Often stragglers keep on coming long after the others are up, but this is no indication of weakness in either the seed or the plant.

A cold frame with a slat top or a slat house, where the seed may be planted directly into a bed of sandy, leaf mould, soil, is quite the ideal environment from primulas, regardless of variety. Lacking such conveniences, ordinary plant pots plunged up to their necks in soil on the shady side of the house will serve the same purpose.

Once planted, except for providing ample moisture, the seed may be left alone. One of the best things to help retain moisture is a thick mulch of excelsior, which is removed as soon as the plants begin to come up.

Primulas do not seem to resent transplanting. If plants are bought, they may be tucked into the earth either in the Fall or Spring. The best time for dividing is after they have finished blooming and are enjoying complete rest before starting up new growth.

Waxing Seed Potatoes After Harvest Brings Increased Yields

By DR. WILLIAM NEWTON

THE waxing of the surface of oranges, lemons and grapefruit has now become a standard practice. The practice lengthens the storage life of the fruit and preserves their juicy character by checking evaporation from the fruit surfaces. The experimental work done on waxing has proven that too thick a layer will smother the fruit. Fruits are living organs, hence, if air is entirely excluded, the living cells will die, break down and turn dark in color. Roughly speaking, the rate of respiration can be slowed down by waxing to approximately one-half normal without injury. The waxing of turnips for the household market has been found advantageous over a storage period of several months. The crisp texture in turnips desired by housewives is preserved by waxing.

More recently potatoes have been waxed to prevent weight loss and quality damage in storage. Ordinary wax has not proven suitable, but an emulsion prepared by the Brodex Company of California referred to as 231-B Wax Emulsion has checked significantly weight loss, without inducing secondary injurious effects.

Dr. E. V. Hardenberg, of Cornell University, has shown that when seed potatoes are waxed shortly after they are harvested the yields from such seed are substantially increased. The Cornell investigations support those conducting at Saanichton. Shrivelled seed potatoes resulting from high temperatures and abnormally dry storage conditions always result in the production of a high percentage of weak plants. A temperature around 40 per cent F. is about ideal for potato seed.

Ashes in the Garden

ASHES from the wood fire grate represent mineral residues of forests that flourished ages ago. They contain a little lime, quite a good percentage of potash, and some phosphates.

They can, therefore, safely be placed in the fertilizer category, where a good number of waste materials find themselves.

If you spread a half-inch layer of ashes on the asparagus bed, the crop will benefit considerably.

If you grow asparagus Springeri, plumosus, decumbens, smilax or gardenias, a good sprinkling of ashes in the compost is a stimulus to the healthy growth of subjects that can be stubborn.

Should the soil be very heavy, ashes worked through when digging will lighten it to a marked degree.

Ashes form a valuable mulch for certain plants which are liable to be decimated during Winter in various ways, delphiniums, eremuri and lupins, for example.

Increase Bedding Plant Stocks From Cuttings

IT often happens that owing to losses during the Winter the bedding plant stock becomes seriously depleted. There is, however, a way of at least doubling the stock, or even trebling it, by striking the tips of such plants as geraniums, calceolarias, heliotrope, pentstemons, violas, salvias, lobelias, centaureas and many other subjects.

Plants which are stored in cold houses are not likely to give good cuttings until towards the end of March. With a heated house available, start at once with the geraniums, following with heliotrope, salvias, and afterwards calceolarias, lobelias and the rest.

It is a mistake to take long cuttings; about two inches is quite long enough. In the case of salvias and heliotropes even less than two inches in length will serve.

The plants should be on the dry side when the cuttings are taken, say a day after watering. Cuttings which are not highly charged with moisture are less likely to damp off.

Soil on Sandy Side

MAKE sure that the soil forming the rooting medium is well on the sandy side, an ideal compost being a mixture of equal part peat-moss, loam and sand. As the planting hole is made, allow a little sand to fall into it, so that the base of the cutting actually stands on this.

Should the compost be dry, water it well soon after the cuttings are inserted, but give no more water until the soil is drying out. Allowing cuttings to become too wet is the quickest way to disaster.

Once the cuttings are placed in the propagating frame or glass-covered box, the main essential is to see that the atmosphere does not become too heavily charged with moisture. For that reason, a tiny crack of air should be left on the frame during the day so that superfluous moisture can escape easily.

Most of the cuttings mentioned can be rooted in three weeks or a month, according to the temperature available.

The plants from which the cuttings were taken will, of course, soon break into new growth.

Lime and Soils

Sir,—About two weeks ago I read an article on soil testing in the magazine section, and the following shows some of the benefits of liming:

Soil deficient in lime breeds many diseases which retard the healthy development of pastures and livestock. Some soils generally are deficient in minerals, the most important of which are calcium salts. The active and useful portion of lime in the calcium, and the value of one type of lime compared with another depends on the amount of calcium available to the plant.

A plant is only able to assimilate food in a watery fluid and for this reason burnt lime is more useful than slaked lime, which is nearly insoluable in water and therefore not so readily utilized by the plant.

Herbivorous animals depend entirely on plants for building and maintaining their tissue. Their growth, fertility and general health and intimately related to the quality and quantity of food available. The addition of lime to the pastures has a double effect on the animal. It improves the pasture in type and amount and it enables the plant, and through it the animal, to obtain a supply of calcium salts which are vital to life.

Lime is an alkali, consequently it corrects any tendency towards acidity in the soil. It acts on insolable potash salts rendering the potash free for plants. It tends to prevent the growth of weeds, at the same time stimulating normal plant growth. It is particularly valuable when used in conjunction with artificial manure as it corrects the tendency towards excessive growth of plants rich in nitrogen, thereby maintaining a balanced pasture. Its presence is advantageous to bacteria which acts on vegetable and animal matter, breaking it into simple substances which the plant is able to use.

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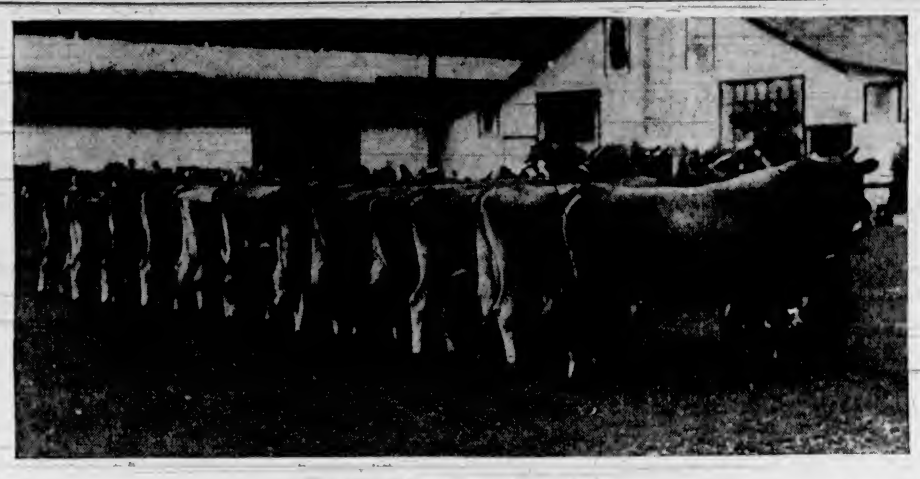
When Tulips Are Potted

IF you are growing Darwin tulips in pots or boxes, and you stand them on a light greenhouse stage, you may be a little disturbed at the shortness of the flower stems. You had hoped for that long, slender stem which makes Darwins so effective in vases.

Excessive light is the cause of the dwarfness. You will find that if you shade slightly with either a tiffany or newspaper awning, the stems will lengthen and the color be perfect. You may wonder, in view of this recommendation, how it is that Darwin tulips growing in light situations out of doors, lengthen their stems all right. The answer is that there is a difference between the quality of light outside and under glass. Certain important rays are shut off by the latter.



PROGENY OF NOTED VANCOUVER ISLAND SIRE

One Son and Eleven Daughters of Golden Standard 2nd, Canada's First Preferential Sire, All Bred by H. E. Burbidge, Royal Oak, Are Shown When at the 1938 Western Washington Fair at Puyallup. Six Are in the Herd of Mr. Burbidge, and the Others Are in Three Leading Herds in Washington. The Bull, Babbacombe Standard's Sirdir, Was Grand Champion. Fourth From the Left Is Babbacombe Standard's Spangle, First Two-Year-Old and Grand Champion. All Won High Awards in Their Classes.

Prepare the Garden for The Coming of Spring

THE shooting of the plants, the budding of the trees and many other signs indicate that Spring is near. We all feel that we must be up and doing so that Spring will find the garden in a fit state to greet it.

What are the things that should be done? Let us outline a programme for you, says a writer in Home Gardening.

Hoe the bulb beds, working into each square yard a tablespoonful of superphosphate of lime to stimulate root action. Take care to avoid the growth with both the fertilizer and the hoe. Tulip leaves, we would point out, spread sideways. So go gingerly with the hoe, or you may strike off some of the stems.

Stir in a light dressing of soot amongst forget-me-nots, daisies and polyanthuses. Remove yellow leaves and firm the plants.

Firm wallflowers also, and give them a dressing of equal parts sulphate of ammonia and superphosphate of lime at the rate of one and a half tablespoonful to the square yard. They are in special need of a stimulant this year.

After firming, stir just the surface with the Dutch hoe or hand fork, otherwise it will puddle. These attentions will not only accelerate the Spring display, but enhance its beauty.

Relieve the lawn from the incubus of Winter, and give the young growth a chance to develop. If there are a few worm casts, scatter them with a light birch broom. Get rid of the weeds. You can kill dandelions and plantains with a pinch of sulphate of ammonia. Stab the centre of each plant with a big nail, and fill the hole with the chemical.

Repairs to Lawn

REPAIR bare places both in the body of the lawn and at the edge. You make a better job of the latter if with the half-moon you nick the turf a foot away from the edge, push the spade underneath it, and move this strip forward the necessary distance. Now fill the bare soil with good turf, afterwards dropping finely-sifted soil into the cracks.

Run the half-moon round the edge of the lawn also, to give that a neat and tidy appearance. Roll twice a week until mowing time when the ground is dry enough.

To stimulate growth give one ounce to the square yard dressing of a mixture of one part each of sulphate of ammonia and sulphate of potash, watering it thoroughly in.

Fork in four to six inches deep the residue of Autumn manure mulches on rose beds and herbaceous borders. The mulch will now do more good in the soil as a feeder and moisture conserver than it will on the top. Apart from that, the soil needs air and warmth from the sun, which is increasing in power daily. Don't leave the roses too deeply buried; there should be an inch of soil above the budding point.

Leave Surface Smart

BREAK down the soil finely and leave the surface even so that these important parts of the garden look smart and in keeping with the reviving spirit of Nature.

A two ounces to the square yard dressing of agricultural salt will quickly destroy small weeds and the mosses and algae which flourish in the paths especially under trees.

Where there are potholes, fill them with good, rough rubble, and where the surfacing material has perished to such an extent that it must be muddy after rain, rake it off, and replace it with an inch layer of the appropriate, finely-screened material.

Give your early attention to the restaking of shaky trees and standard shrubs. Make safe unsafe ties also. Fork the ground between shrubs six inches deep, burying the fallen leaves. Cut off weak, straggling and dead branches as you proceed. Unless you have manured during the last two years, incorporate a three-inch layer of well-rotted stable manure also.

Dig and manure all vacant land, enriching the dahlia border liberally to a depth of two feet. One foot deep digging and moderate manuring is quite adequate for beds and borders intended for the ordinary run of Summer flowers.

You will want to sow seeds of some hardy annuals immediately. Give the preparation of these sites preference, digging the soil a foot deep and working in a sprinkling of manure.

Start Tuberous Begonias Before Shoots Grow

IF you have tuberous begonias in store, start them into growth without delay, otherwise they will make a more or less futile attempt to start themselves and probably go off with soft rot.

Whether the bulbs have been wintered in the pots in which they bloomed last year, or in boxes of sand, they must be removed most carefully, and be shorn of every bit of old root. The best way to get rid of the wiry ends is to rub the bulb with the thumb.

Unless your begonia bulbs are perfectly bald when you start them into growth, basal soft rot may attack them, and before you discover what is wrong the disease will be too deep-seated to eradicate.

Examine the crowns also, that is, the puckered, slightly sunken part at the top. It is at this point that the young shoots arise.

Set the bulbs an inch apart, leaving the crowns exposed. An excellent method is to fill the boxes fairly firmly to within half an inch of the top, then plant the bulbs by pressing them into the compost with the fingers.

For a Strong Start

IMMEDIATELY after planting, water through a rosed can, and stand the boxes in the propagating frame or a glass-covered box, plunged to the rim in fibre, sawdust, or sifted leaf-mould.

An environment like this is perfectly stable, an essential factor if begonias are to start freely and strongly.

If your propagating frame or box has a flat top, turn or wipe the glass daily, otherwise the drip that falls on to the crowns will set up some soft rot.

Keep the soil fairly moist, and very soon you will notice the pink, hairy shoots pushing out of the crowns. When they are one inch long, transfer the boxes to a partially shaded, draught-free, moist-breeze-covered stage.

When the shoots are two inches long, set the plants separately in pots—three inches for one-year-olds, and four-and-a half-inch for the older bulbs. Later they will need repotting into the flowering size.

Drainage Important for Gardening Success

ONE of the most important conditions governing a successful garden is good drainage. It is essential to the growth and health of all garden plants, even the lawn.

Poor drainage is responsible for more failures in Winter than frost or cold. It is, however, in Winter that the drainage faults of the garden are thrown into high relief.

Moss on the lawns, unthrifty Winter vegetables, high mortality in the rockery or the border are all indicative of poor drainage. Unfortunately, many gardeners side-step the issue, thinking it a laborious and costly operation.

A certain amount of labor is certainly needed, but the cost, in comparison with the benefits, is not great.

First, survey your plot, and determine the highest and lowest points. Plan your main drain to run from one to the other. This should be dug eighteen inches deep, with a slight fall towards the lower end.

Along the bottom of this trench lay agricultural drain tiles or pipes.

Laying Pipes

LEAVE a slight gap between each pipe of about three quarters of an inch, pack the pipes round with cinders, clinker or small stones, and fill in the drain.

For small plots, a single drain of this kind is often sufficient, but for large areas, or very ill-drained sites, it may be necessary to dig the main drain six inches deeper, and arrange side drains to run into it in a herring-bone pattern.

It is not absolutely necessary to use field drain tiles or pipes, but these afford the most permanent and satisfactory solution. They may be obtained in various sizes. A three-inch diameter pipe is sufficient for small gardens, but larger sizes are available.

In other cases, excellent drainage may be secured by a layer of large stones or clinker, or even lengths of closely-packed brushwood, materials which would facilitate the passage of water through the soil and remain effective for a number of years.

It is, of course, necessary to have somewhere for the drainage water to run. If the main drain can be led into a ditch or pond, the problem is solved, but in other cases a soakaway must be made, into which the end of the drain has a free run.

Raising Geraniums From Seed Is Interesting

MOST gardeners like to try their hand at a bit of unusual seed sowing. Quite apart from the keen interest which this creates, there is always the chance of raising something outstanding. And, of course, the method is very economical. You can raise a good-sized batch of plants for the sum that one would cost you if you bought it as a plant.

That is definitely so in the case of pelargoniums and geraniums. You can buy a packet of seed of pelargonium, zonal geranium and scented geranium hybrids.

The beaked seed of these plants has such a thick skin it is essential before sowing to soften it by soaking in water for forty-eight hours. Unless this is done, it may lie dormant for twelve months, whereas after soaking it is through in three to four weeks.

Use clean seven-inch pots or seed pans and after draining them well, fill up fairly firmly to within half-inch of the top with a riddled mixture of loam three parts, leaf mould, nut charcoal and sand one part each.

Sprinkle a little sand on the firmed surface. Then prick in the seed half inch apart with a pointed stick.

Water with a fine-rosed can or syringe, plunge the pots to the rim in a box of cinders or riddled leaf mould, and, after covering each pot with glass and brown paper, stand it on the hot-water pipe. Rather intense heat is necessary for successful germination.

As soon as the seedlings appear, transfer the pots to a light shelf or stage in the greenhouse.

Seaweed for Manuring Seaside Gardens

SEAWEED is a valuable organic manure which is available to most people who live near the sea.

Often there is mixed with a good deal of flotsam such as only the sea throws up—bottles, twigs, bits of rope, and so on. Sort out this stuff when making the seaweed into a firm heap in a corner of your garden.

"Don't cover the heap. There is no need to fear that anything useful will wash out, whereas exposure will give the weather an opportunity to remove the salt, which is the only undesirable feature in seaweed. After three months you can apply it to your garden.

Probably you already have a heap which has been exposed for this period or longer. Take an early opportunity to incorporate it into vacant vegetable or flower borders.

The rate of application is one pailful to the square yard, or one cwt. to the twelve square yards.

Take care to bury the weed thoroughly, as if you leave any of it above ground, it dries and hardens, becoming more or less useless for the intended purpose.

The weed contains an abundance of potash, but there is some deficiency of nitrogen and phosphates, which, however, you can make good by stirring into the top four inches of each square yard, a fortnight before planting or sowing, two ounces of a mixture of three parts superphosphate of lime and one part sulphate of ammonia.—Home Gardening.

Vancouver Island Jersey Sire Is First in New Preferential Class

NEW distinction for Vancouver Island Jerseys has been achieved by the sire, Golden Standard 2nd, owned by H. E. Burbidge, Royal Oak. He is the first Preferential bull in Canada, a classification set up on May 1, 1938, by the Advanced Registry of Canada. The class is of a higher standard than the Advanced Registry, Class A and AA. To enter the Preferential bull class a sire must be a Class AA bull and at least ten of his progeny must have qualified in Record of Performance, of which at least five must have records which are one-third in excess of the standard for qualification in the R.O.P.

Golden Standard 2nd was bred by B. H. Bull & Son, Brampton, and calved the property of W. D. Thomson, Brooklin, Ontario. He was purchased as a calf by H. E. Burbidge. His breeding is well known to all Jersey enthusiasts. He is sired by the gold and silver medal bull, Standard of Oaklands. His dam is the imported cow Willonyx Minnie 4th—31623—a daughter of the gold medal bull, Blonde's Golden Oxford and from the noted Island cow, Hamptone Grey's Minnie.

The sire was used extensively in the herd of Arthur W. Aylard, Sidney, for some years, who has two gold medal daughters of standard and seven silver medal daughters that have won eight silver medal certificates. In all Standard has thirty-four tested daughters that have a mature equivalent of 10,145 pounds of milk and 619 pounds of fat.

Type as Well as Production

NOT only has Golden Standard 2nd many high producing daughters, but his offspring, especially the females, have won many prizes in the show ring. Babbacombe Standard's Volage was grand champion at Vancouver and Victoria in 1936, and reserve grand champion at Victoria and first prize five-year-old cow at Puyallup, Washington, in 1938. She is also the dam of Babbacombe Rondin Rhoda that was grand champion at Vancouver, Victoria and Puyallup in 1938. Babbacombe Standard Sociable, besides winning many first prizes at coast fairs, was grand champion at Edmonton, Alberta, 1938.

Resulting from his showing at the Western Washington Fair at Puyallup, Mr. Burbidge has received many enquiries for stock from different points in the State of Washington and has made a number of sales of show and breeding stock.

The bull, Babbacombe's Blonde's Bindle—58771—was purchased by Fairfax & Hefferman, of Tacoma, Washington. He is sired by the silver medal bull, Glamorgan Wexford Bindle, and from the imported cow, Madamoiselle Deschamps 3rd, a daughter of Blonde's Golden Oxford, that was grand champion at Victoria, B.C., in 1930. Her dam, Mademoiselle Deschamps 2nd, by Sybil's Gamboge 3rd, has a record of 636 pounds of fat, and was first prize aged cow at Vancouver in 1930 at the age of ten years. A full brother of this bull, owned by C. D. and D. J. Enman, of Wetaskiwin, Alberta, was reserve grand champion at Calgary and Edmonton last Summer.

Goes to East Stanwood

BABBACOMBE Standard 2nd —82169—a three-year-old son of Golden Standard 2nd was purchased by Peter Henning, East Stanwood, Washington. Babbacombe Standard 2nd is a half brother of the Fairfax & Hefferman bull, being from the same dam, Madamoiselle Deschamps 3rd.

George T. Kerr, of Mount Vernon, Washington, purchased the bull, Babbacombe Trinity Standard, a son of Golden Standard 2nd, and from the cow, Babbacombe Trinity Anne, a silver medal daughter of Glamorgan Wexford Bindle, with a record of 533 pounds of fat in 305 days as a two-year-old.

Four yearling heifers also went to Mr. Kerr. One bred heifer is sired by Madamoiselle's Oxford, an R.O.P. son of Oxford Sultan of Oxford from the cow, Madamoiselle Deschamps 2nd, mentioned above. Another bred heifer is by Glamorgan Wexford Bindle. Two unbred yearlings are by a son of Golden Standard 2nd from the great cow, Ruby of Weston Lake, that has several good records to her credit, including one of 605 pounds of fat, and was first prize record cow at Vancouver in 1938 at the age of fourteen years.

Burn Pampas Grass Tops

FIRE affords a very convenient and efficient method by which the withered material of pampas grass may be destroyed now that the plants are no longer presentable.

Some precautions are, however, very necessary. A calm day should be chosen for the work, for wind may carry the flame to neighboring plants or trees and may blow sparks to a very considerable distance.

If the pampas grass is growing in close proximity to other growing plants, it is not wise to burn off the tops, but if the grass is reasonably clear of its neighbors there is little or no risk on a calm day. It is wise to have at hand a bucket of water, so that if the fire should gain the upper hand or should commence to blaze too fiercely, it can easily and at once be subdued.

The ashes need not be taken away; they will benefit the soil if evenly distributed with a rake, and there will be very few of them unless the group of pampas is a large one.

A Page For CHILDREN

The Fairy Paint Pots

"WELL, if it isn't the family nuisances." The freckle-faced farm boy paused long enough from his work to grin impudently at Carol and Betty, who were watching by the opened door of the big barn. He was putting the finishing touches to a repaired panel, smashed the day before by their horses when they ran away with the farm wagon.

"We're not nuisances! And anyway, you're not even our family! You're just Jim Nell the Skalawag!" Betty had to laugh at her warm retort, and at the funny name she had given the working boy.

Carol took up the name and she and Betty danced merrily about in the barn, shouting in shrill voices, "Jim Nell is a scalawag, dress him up in silk and rags!"

Jim was such a grand one to tease, he was so good-natured and understanding toward little girls. So, dipping his brush in the paint pot, he whistled a merry accompaniment to their wild chant.

But Carol had ceased her dance for a moment and was standing beside him, her blue eyes wide with amazement.

"Look at your paint!" She fairly shrieked as she pointed to the panel of the door.

There on the new surface was a wide splash of purple paint! Had the fairies played a trick on poor Jim and turned his work to a different color? But the painter only laughed when he saw her cause for the alarm.

"You see," he explained, showing the cans of paint beside him, "I have two colors here. The red, for the main part of the door; the other is the blue for the trim along the outside edge. But while I was watching you I took a brushful of the wrong paint. Red and blue will make a purplish color, you know."

"No," replied Carol, "we didn't know. Is it something new?"

"Of course not," grinned the cheerful farm lad. "It's as old as the hills. Now you scamps run off before you cause any more mistakes. If you don't hurry, I'll paint those funny upturned things you call noses."

So off toward the flower garden the two tykes ran, before Jim could carry out his threat. They weren't really afraid and they giggled at the funny thought, for those colors wouldn't improve their faces at all.

They had promised to work in the garden plot that bright Saturday, and soon were busy pulling at the weeds missed by Betty's father, who had hoed there earlier in the morning.

"I wonder if Jim would have really painted our noses?" Carol's head was still full of the fun they had enjoyed down by the barn.

"Wasn't it queer the way that purple appeared?" Betty was bending low and tugging at a stubborn bit of shepherd's purse which had sprung up where the snapdragons were supposed to grow.

"Leave that plant alone, Miss Meddler! I'm just finishing it and it's still very wet!"

Betty jumped in great alarm and looked at her fingers, freshly stained with green. But nowhere could she see the source of that warning voice.

Carol came running at her call, and together the tots peered into the snapdragons.

"Move your feet carefully, or you'll spill my paints! You mortals are such clumsy folk!"

The hidden voice was indignantly shrill. Quickly the girls wheeled and caught sight of a paint-splotched little figure who scurried out of sight behind the broad leaves of a great dandelion.

"Why, it's a fairy with such a long green beard," giggled Carol as she pulled the sword-shaped leaf aside to get a better glimpse at the hiding creature.

"I'm not so funny as all that! And it's your fault that my beard is all splashed. You pushed it into my paint pot when you pulled up the plant on which I was working!"

The splattered sprite was so angry he fairly jumped up and down in his rage. His green-stained beard was wiggling so violently that Betty thought he looked like an old billy goat.

Carol laughed so hard at the sight that she sat down on the garden patch to catch her breath.

"There you go again! Of course you had to sit down in my orange paint." The exasperated fairy marched around the seated girl and gave her a rude push. Carol quickly sprang to her feet, and sure enough, on the back of her clean frock was a bright orange mark.

"Oh dear, I am so sorry. I did not see it at all."

"If you mortals ever opened your eyes, it would be a great surprise to me. And I had planned to paint the marigold buds this morning," stated the vexed elf. The long white and green beard was not so violent now, and the little chap sadly sat down on the edge of a primrose.

The girls were sorry that they had caused such a disastrous accident. Betty was especially concerned. Maybe her Mother wouldn't have any yellow marigolds that year; or worse still, maybe the fairy would paint them red or even blue!

"Red and blue," she mused. "If you mix those two colors you get purple. Maybe if you mix some of the other colors you could make orange."

"Did you ever try mixing the paints?" she asked of the sprite.

The elfman straightened himself and replied, "No, we always leave that job to the Master Painter. He mixes them and tells us how the flowers must be colored. However, we could try your suggestion."

Reaching behind the flowers, he produced several cans of vari-colored paints. First they selected yellow and blue to mix, but the experiment did not produce orange, but a brilliant green.

"Let's try the red and yellow pigments," cried the interested sprite, who was now thoroughly enjoying himself.

As they stirred the fresh mixture they could see the desired color appearing in the pot. Soon the three of them were rejoicing over the successful conclusion to their experiments.

"And now for the marigolds," and away the sprite started toward the budding plants.

"You see," he explained as he worked with swift strokes, "if the buds are not painted on the outside, they will not have correctly colored petals. Sometimes we fairies have to work all night to get the flowers ready for the morning."

The girls were just bursting with a thousand eager questions, but a merry voice prevented any further conversation with the sprite.

"And what are you tykes watching so closely?" Jim Nell was coming down the path; his paint pails swinging by his side. "Aren't you coming in for lunch? Your Mother called me about ten minutes ago."

Carol and Betty jumped from the marigolds, and the fairy, with a merry flip of his brush, dissolved from sight. They joined the hired boy as he walked toward the farmhouse.

"What ever have you girls been doing this morning?" demanded Betty's mother, as she saw the orange stain on Carol's dress. "And Betty, look at your hands! Have you been playing with Jim's paints?"

In spite of the protests that they had been in the garden and the stains were from the flowers, Jim took the brunt of the scolding. He had a quiet smile because he had been watching the little girls more closely than either Carol or Betty had imagined.

Rhymes for Little People

I'm going out a-hunting,
I'm going to have some fun,
But there will be no danger,
Although I have a gun.

Storks, pigeons and canaries,
I'll bring home without fail;
For I'll load my trusty gun with salt,
And shoot them on the tail!

You see, merry Phyllis, that dear little maid,
Has invited Belinda to tea,
Her nice little garden is shaded by trees,
What pleasanter place could there be?

There's a cake full of plums, there are strawberries, too,
And the table is set on the green;
I'm fond of a carpet all daisies and grass,
Could a prettier picture be seen?

A blackbird (yes, blackbirds delight in warm weather)
Is flitting from yonder high spray.
He sees the two little ones talking together,
No wonder the blackbird is gay.

Rub-a-dub-dub,
Three men in a tub;
The butcher, the baker,
The candlestick-maker;
And they all jumped out of a rotten potato.

Seven Men and a Seagull

HUNDREDS of New Zealanders looked on encouragingly when seven strong men spent an hour in rescuing a seagull which not long ago became entangled in the telephone wires near the busy wharves of Auckland.

These seven men included two police constables, two telegraph linesmen, and three workers of the company operating steam ferry boats on Auckland Harbor.

It was found that some heartless person had tied a piece of food to the bird's leg, and the string had become entangled in the wires connecting the Ferry Buildings and the wharves at the foot of Auckland's busiest street. For an hour the poor gull hung by one leg, its wings beating the air in frantic appeal.

It did not appeal in vain. There are kind-hearted people in every town, and very kind men in Auckland. Finding no other means of rescuing the gull, they sent to the postoffice for two telegraph linesmen and a ladder, and the gull was soon set free.

It was the screaming of gulls, wheeling and diving around the struggling body of their entangled mate, that first of all attracted the attention of passers-by.

"Daddy, why . . . ?" he began, for the twentieth time that evening.

"Look here," said the exasperated father, "have you ever heard of the little boy who asked so many questions that he was turned into a question mark?"

The child pondered over this. "But, daddy," he said at last, "how did he manage to keep the dot under himself?"

Spring May Not Be in the Air, but It Is in the Leap of This Mountain Zebra. This Native of South Africa Lives at London's Zoo.

The Year's Festivals

Lady Day

MAURIEE Murdoch Maxton (Mudge to his friends), went to answer the doorbell. "Aunt Maimie, Aunt Maimie," he shrieked, so that if any of the family had just happened to be in the attic or the cellar, they still would have heard the good news, but they weren't nearly so far away, and they all came swarming around Aunt Maimie like busy, happy bees buzzing round a new-found clover patch.

"Why were you gone so long? We missed you, and we missed you. We're so glad you're back."

"Well now," laughed Father Maximilian Maxton, "do let Aunt Maimie reach a chair in the living-room before you smother her." So they led her to a big comfy chair by the fire, Father took her wraps, Midge climbed into her lap with Minnie the Maxton cat, Madge and Mudge each occupied a chair arm, Matt the collie rested his chin on the only vacant spot on her knee, and Mother Matilda Maxton said, "How about a cup of tea?"

"Just the very thing," said Father. "We'll help," and Madge and Mudge ran off for the things. In a few minutes Aunt Maimie was telling, between sips of tea and nibbles of cookie, all about her visit to a distant cousin. "And now," said Madge firmly, "we've had no story for ages and ages and ages."

"No," added Mudge reprovingly, "you weren't here for St. Patrick's Day."

"I see I must hasten to make amends," smiled Aunt Maimie; "at least we'll have one story left to tell next year, and now we are getting near to Lady Day. It was so named by the Christian Church to commemorate the visit of the Angel Gabriel to the Virgin Mary to announce to her that she should have a son whom she was to name Jesus, and he would be called the Son of the Highest; therefore, this day is also called the Feast of the Annunciation. It is held on March 25 and used to be celebrated with pomp and splendor in Rome. Windows were hung with crimson and golden silk draperies, women were gorgeously attired and the churches were patrolled by the Pope's Horse Guards in full dress uniforms with sprigs of myrtle in their headgear to signify rejoicing. Fine-looking guards on great black chargers cleared the way to the sound of trumpets and the beating of drums. They were followed by a bare-headed priest on a white mule, carrying the Host in a gold cup, at the sight of which all the people prostrated themselves."

"What is the Host, Aunt Maimie, please?" asked Madge.

"A holy symbol used in the celebration of Mass," she replied. "Then the Pope rode also on a white mule, followed by the cardinals in magnificent robes. Lady Day was carefully observed by the Church in England. In 1240 the Synod or Council of Worcester forbade the doing of any servile work upon it, except necessary agricultural labor. At St. Alban's, in Hertfordshire, it is still the custom on this day to sell special buns called Pope Ladies. It is considered ill luck if it falls on Easter Sunday. An old rhyme says:

"'When our Lady falls in our Lord's lap,
Then England beware of great mishap.'

"There are thirteen saints in the Church calendar on this day, two of them are women, St. Dula and St. Ida, and one a boy, St. William, the child martyr of Norwich. The religious importance of the day has become less and less since the Reformation.

"Lady Day was in olden times the beginning of the year. In England this was changed in 1752 to January 1, but March 25 still remains the first Quarter Day of the year, when it is the custom to pay rent and other debts; though nobody knows why nor when the practice began. It is also a favorite time for house moving over there. The other Quarter Days are Midsummer, Michaelmas and Christmas. In Scotland they are different; but that's all about Lady Day."

"Oh, thank you, Aunt Maimie, it's so good to have you back, and I can guess what you will be telling us about next week," Madge nodded wisely.

"You're just too smart," teased Mudge.

Trespasser

I know this spring is owned
By a doe and her fawn;
I saw them here together
Early in the dawn.

Now I've ridden down
From the dry hill,
I want to drink,
Rest and be still;

Look up at leaves,
And listen to wings,
Hear the small song
The water sings.

I can take my time,
I needn't fear
Of being ordered off
Should an owner appear.

I'd like to leave a sign
That would plainly say:
"Come visit me
Just any day."

—Judy Van Der Veer, in Our Dumb Animals.

When Your Dog Is Dead

Oh, when your little dog is dead
The house is very still—
No pattering of eager feet,
No barking glad and shrill.

There is no small, brown form to hold,
No moist, warm tongue that licks
Your hand in love—no half-gnawed bones,
No scattered balls and sticks.

The cunning tricks he used to do
Are aching memories:
"Sit up" and "chase your tail" and "speak,"
"Play dead," "shake hands" and "sneeze."

The days are desolate and bleak,
I have no wish to talk—
When evening comes I have no heart
For the accustomed walk.

I reach to pat a little head
Once close beside my knee,
I whistle, call, forgetting that
He'll come no more to me.

Oh, you who've known a small dog's love
Devoted through the years,
You'll not misunderstand my grief
Nor ridicule my tears.

—Carolyn Spencer, in Our Dumb Animals.

The Birds

Beautiful birds, up in the sky,
How do you manage to fly so high?
Just like an angel, as, I pass by,
Beautiful, wonderful birds in the sky.

Marvelous birds, up in the sky;
"What do you do all day on high?
"I fly up into the sky so high,
Higher and higher, up in the sky."

How many specimens
Are there of birds?
Wild ones and tame ones,
Too graceful for words.

Flying around
In a marvelous way,
What games do you
So merrily play?

—Ilace Roskelley, Aged Ten Years.

What vegetable must grow very quickly? A running bean.

The Fiddler With the Magic Bow

DO you believe in good fairies? A hundred poor children in Aberdeen do; and this is the reason why.

Quite mysteriously these hundred poor but happy children found themselves invited to see "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" at the cinema. One or two may have guessed how it came about, but to most of them it must have been as if they had been waved into the free seats by a magic wand. So it was, but the magic wand was the bow of a one-legged fiddler nearly as poor as any one of themselves.

The story came out a long time afterwards, but only as a tiny paragraph in an Edinburgh newspaper; and now, as someone has persuaded the fiddler to tell it himself, we will repeat it as nearly as possible in his own words.

One day last Autumn (says he) I was watching a line of well-to-do children waiting to get into the cinema to see "Snow White"; and, standing apart looking rather forlorn and wistful, was another group of three, very far from having the money to pay for cinemas. Two of them had charge of a soapbox on wheels with a smaller two-year-old in it.

"Will we see 'Snow White' too?" said the girl to her bigger brother.

"Na! Na! Not us!" replied he, and she began to cry. The baby in the soapbox was not interested, but the one-legged fiddler was.

Then and there (as he afterwards said) he made up his mind that they should see "Snow White." He was only a fiddler who fiddled in the streets for his living, but his living did not cost him much, and the month before he had had a stroke of luck through playing something that had caught a rich man's fancy.

So away he went to the picture-house manager, and nobody could have been nicer. He said he would make a special reduction for a number of poor children, and the upshot was that a hundred of them went in to the "Snow White" matinee.

They did not know who was paying for them. That was in the bargain. But the one-legged fiddler with the magic bow hid behind a statue at the corner of Union Street and watched them chattering and laughing as they went in. No tears then!

And (says he) I've found if you're wanting a treat, give a treat!

There's the age-old lesson the great St. Paul bequeathed to us on charity, spoken again through the lips of a poor one-legged fiddler. Nay, not poor, for, though he fiddles his well-worn way through the streets of Edinburgh which know him well, he is rich in that which never faileth, Charity itself.

For the rest, to quote him for the last time, he plays his fiddle in the street as well as it is in his power to do, and it does not take much to keep him. So now, though you who read may not believe in fairies, you may at any rate believe in fiddlers.

All Is Well

Love is and was my Lord and King,
And in his presence I attend
To hear the tidings of my friend
Which every hour his couriers bring.

Love is and was my King and Lord,
And will be, though as yet I keep
Within his court on earth, and sleep
Encompassed by his faithful guard,

And hear at times a sentinel
Who moves about from place to place
And whispers to the worlds of space,
In the deep night, that all is well.

—Tennyson.

Why ought a boy not to throw dust in his teacher's eye?
Because it is sure to harm the pupil.

The Pig That Ate the Radium

WE speak of looking for a needle in a haystack, but if it were a needle of radium the search would not take long.

A needle of radium is a slender sheath of silver or platinum in which the doctor puts no more radium than would cover the head of a pin. An elephant would be easier to hide.

If by mischance it happens to be mislaid, the hunt soon finds it. The various instruments the doctors put on its track are playfully called radium hounds, though one of a very delicate kind invented at the National Physical Laboratory was named a radium hen. It gave a kind of cluck in its interior when a radium ray passed through it.

One of these ingenious instruments every schoolboy and schoolgirl knows from seeing it at the science master's lectures. It is the gold leaf electroscope, with wings that flicker when a slight electric impulse comes near. A ray from radium sets them at once in motion. Other more sensitive instruments, such as Geiger Muller counters, will count electric particles as they fly. No radium can escape their notice.

Some time ago a radium needle was missing from a Canadian hospital, and was believed to have been washed down a sink and gone into the drains. A map of the city's drains was given to the hospital, and the radium hounds, or, in other words, doctors armed with the "counters," went along the city's main streets where the drains ran, to find the speck of radium fifteen feet below the surface. They found it.

Still more curious was the case of the needle thrown away in a pile of refuse at the Sioux Falls Hospital. The refuse had all been taken to a pig farm forty miles away. There the radium hounds went, and for a time searched the refuse without success.

But one of the searchers noted that when some of the 500 pigs of the farm were near, the counter showed signs of agitation. The pigs were then divided into small groups and tested by bringing the counter near. Sure enough, presently the instrument was violently agitated. A pig had swallowed the needle.

It was found. The radium pig was more valuable than ever before in its life, for radium is worth 24,000 times as much as gold.

The Pontoon Bridge

WITH determination on his face, Dick hunted up his friend Geoffrey. "I say!" he cried. "I've had enough of this getting up earlier for school these cold mornings. I mean to put back our short cut."

"How? I suppose you aren't thinking of filling in the new ditch?" laughed his chum.

"No, but you come and see—and give me a hand," Dick said firmly.

Geoffrey agreed, and a little later the two boys were standing on the bank of the wide ditch that had been cut to drain the meadows, and made a mile difference in their walk to and from school.

"See these? And those?" Dick pointed out two empty tar barrels and some planks. "We'll have a pontoon bridge all to ourselves."

So they rolled the barrels into the ditch, upending them one on each side and jumping on them to settle them into the mud; then, with the planks laid across and nailed to the barrels to make secure, the pontoon builders were triumphant.

"The water can run underneath all right, so if Mr. Gray sees the bridge he can't say we've stopped up the channel," Dick said.

With their work finished, the two boys went home again, very pleased with their plan for saving the early rising and giving them more time for games after school.

A week or two later, a tremendous thaw, following a snowstorm, flooded several of the roads and lanes connecting the village with many outlying homesteads. Dick and Geoff ran out from school to find their mothers held up by the deep water.

It was quite an exciting scene, because motorists who would have taken the stranded people along had found the floods too bad to get through.

"And there'll be all the daddies waiting for their tea," bewailed Dick's mother.

"Oh, no, there won't, Mum!" cried Dick. "Come along over the meadows. The paths are a bit muddy, but there aren't any floods."

"But there's the ditch, silly boy," his mother retorted. "We're not goats; we couldn't jump it."

Dick laughed. "Oh, you can get across without jumping; you come along and see," he urged.

And when Farmer Gray ran across from his farmyard to see what a crowd of people were up to near his new draining ditch he had a good laugh.

"Well, young Dick," he said, when he had heard about the floods, "your pontoon bridge is such a bright idea that we'll leave it there in case of more emergencies."

A little boy startled his mother by asking, "Mummy, is there hair oil in this bottle?"

"Mercy, no dear," she said, "that's gum."

"Oh," said the child, "perhaps that's why I can't get my hat off!"

Great Britain and the Dominions Overseas

Laws Reguating Habits in London Are Conflicting

Lawful Hours for Public Eating and Drinking Vary In Different Districts—Swarms Migrate From District to District—Salaries of Members Of Parliament Under Discussion

By GLANVILLE CAREW

LONDON (BUP).—As a people we boast that our legal system is the best in the world; in principle possibly it is. But when we come to the details of the laws affecting the ordinary, everyday life of the people, such as the hours of drinking and shopping, we can only conjecture that they are hatched in lunatic asylums.

Take London and its immediate suburbs, for example. In that area of, say, roughly twenty-five miles by twenty-five it is not legal in certain districts to get a drink in public bars later than 10 p.m. In some other districts 10:30 p.m. is the latest hour, and in a comparatively small area in the centre of London (which comprises St. Marylebone, Paddington, Holborn and Westminster) 11 p.m.

In order that the licencing justices may not be biassed in any way no person connected with the production or supply of alcoholic drinks, such as brewers, distillers, licenced victuallers, etc., may be a licencing justice. That is supposed to ensure impartiality. On the other hand, persons who are notoriously rigid, not to say rabid teetotallers, representatives of temperence bodies, and any and every crank in the metropolis is eligible to be a justice and presumed to be impartial when an application for a licence or renewal is made.

Just now the justices are going through the annual business of licence renewal — or refusal—and the public as usual will protest against their evident bias—but do nothing more.

SWARMS MIGRATE

One result of the varying hours is that people migrate in swarms from one district to another as the hour grows later. In some neighborhoods crowds transfer themselves in bulk from one side of a street to the other if the other side happens to be in a later area, and this leads eventually to a tremendous congregation of people in the 11 o'clock area—with resulting traffic congestion when at 11 o'clock they all go home perforce to outer London. Similar absurdities, though to a lesser extent, are caused by the varying hours in the daytime.

However, having created this mischievous state of things the authorities — the Legislature — has thoughtfully provided a sort of antidote. The position is this: on the one hand, before a man may obtain a licence his police record must be spotless; he is hampered at every turn by restrictions of one sort and another; he must pay all sorts of very heavy dues, based on the size of his premises plus the ordinary excise duties on the liquor he sells. The police may enter his premises at will.

On the other hand, any man in the country may form a club. It may be in cellar or an attic. No amenities need be provided. He may have come straight from jail and by filling up some blanks and paying a fee of five shillings, he can start his club so as to be open when the pubs are closed. The police may not enter the club except on a magistrate's warrant. The members receive all the benefits of a pub for a purely nominal subscription—paid or not paid—of perhaps fifty cents a year.

That this House approves the recommendation of the Department Committee on Pensions for members of the House of Commons and is in favor of the initiation of legislation to carry out its proposals which impose no charge on the ratepayers.

This motion being agreed to by about two to one, the foundation of a pensions scheme for M.P.'s who have sat for a given period in the House (a total of ten years is suggested) may be considered as laid.

When our M.P.'s were first paid a salary, a few years ago, the annual payment was fixed at $2,000; this was increased two or three years ago to $3,000.

Many members do not draw the salary, but in the state of things which exists in these days many working-class members must necessarily do so. One result of the entry into Parliament of working men is that such men have, by becoming members, to risk their future livelihood. They have to abandon their trades and it may well be that after a number of years in the House they find themselves no longer M.P.'s and yet unable to return to their former work—or to obtain any work at all. It is common knowledge that many men who gave long and faithful service to the House are now living in great distress.

The idea is to establish a sort of benevolent fund out of which to provide a sufficient number of pensions to those in need by the deduction under legislation of some agreed sum from all members' salaries; it is hoped and believed that some at least of the more well-to-do M.P.'s will throw some portion at least of their salaries into the fund for the benefit of their less fortunate brethren. Apart from some very captious critics, the scheme was supported by all parties from the Prime Minister downwards.

BUSINESS AS USUAL

Judging from the newspaper placards, a stranger might well imagine that London during the past week or two has been a city of bursting bombs and cowering populace. In fact, the average Londoner going on his lawful occasions has probably seen nothing out of the ordinary.

A visitor, however, waiting, say, to see the House of Parliament or Westminster Hall or the Tower of London might find either that he could not do so at all or that he was very carefully scrutinized and never out of some official or police observation. He might notice a number of unoccupied gentlemen admiring the inside of the Law Courts. He might have wished to leave his suit case at one of the underground stations and have been surprised at the kindly interest in its contents by the receiving clerk and an attending policeman.

But normally he would see nothing unless by one chance in a thousand he happened to be strolling along some prosaic street in some second rate part of town. There he might have seen a car or cars suddenly stop outside a commonplace house and disgorge a number of men, and after a time witness the cars' occupants emerge with one or two additions to their number and perhaps a suit case most carefully carried. The gentleman who the other day picked up a hand grenade on the top of an omnibus saw something—but most of us have seen nothing.

INCOME TAX REFUND

The law is said not to consider trifles. That may be, but the Inland Revenue authorities do.

The Inland Revenue Department has just sent this letter to a taxpayer:

"Income tax, 1937-1938. I have to inform you that you overpaid one penny income tax during the above year. This amount will be credited to your income tax for the half year ending October 3."

PORT ELIZABETH, Cape Province (BUP).—After flying 6,500 miles, a tern, ringed in Germany, died of exhaustion in the waters of the harbor at Port Elizabeth.

The bird was taken from the sea and given to the curator of the local museum.

The aluminium ring encircling its leg bore the inscription, "Vogelwarte, Heligoland, Germany."

Dies Before Becoming a Centenarian

LONDON (BUP).—The first woman in three generations of an Essex family to die before reaching 100 was killed by a motor car at Ilford at the age of ninety-one.

She was Mrs. Julia Maria Waring, and she was looking forward confidently to her 100th birthday because in the past 300 years no woman member of her family has failed to reach that age.

The average life of all the family in the past three centuries was 102, allowing for a few members killed in wars.

Mrs. Waring was herself healthy and active. Despite her age, she enjoyed going shopping alone. It was while returning from a visit to a relative that she was knocked down and killed.

KING'S NEW CAR HAS GLASS ROOF

LONDON (BUP).—An inlaid glass roof, which will enable the King and Queen to be seen more clearly in bad weather, is one of the features of the new state motor car.

The Queen's doctors have protested against the risk Her Majesty takes whilst driving in the drizzling rain in an open car. The new car will give the crowds a good view without compelling the King and Queen to sit in the rain.

The side windows of the car are carried right to the very back of the car. The roof is specially high to enable the King to wear tall military and other headdresses for official occasions.

QUEEN IN FAVOR OF CRINOLINES

LONDON (BUP).—Crinolines have been approved by the Queen for wear by debutantes at Court presentations this year.

She wore one herself last season, and gave the fashion a big lift. Now they have been chosen as the equals of formal, straight Court dresses for wearing with trains and feathers, they are established as a fashion which will last perhaps for years.

Mme. Handley-Seymour has made two Court designs with crinoline skirts as wide as the most advanced Paris models.

One of them was in white tulle over white slipper satin, with a blue satin sash.

PATENT GADGETS ARE FASCINATING

LONDON (BUP).—Fascinating "gadgets" were the most popular feature of the seventeenth annual exhibition of the Society of Patentees in London.

This year's display includes an all-purposes golf club which, by altering the angle of the striking surface, can be converted into anything between a putter and a niblick.

There are a tipping wheelbarrow ("also for carrying liquid"), a "silent self-closing door," a non-slip horseshoe, a permanent trouser creaser, a double-pronged toasting fork for making two slices at once, and an invention which claims to give "four horsepower for on—"

One interesting aspect of the show is the array of inventions, many by women, for coping with air raids.

King's New Car for State Occasions

This New British Automobile Has Been Placed at the Disposal of the Royal Family for State Occasions. A Glass-Paneled Roof in the Rear Compartment Will Enable the King and Queen to Be Seen More Plainly on State Drives in Bad Weather.

Housewife in London Takes More Canadian Food After Campaign

Posters Exhibited in All Important Provision Stores of Metropolis—Greater Attention Being Paid To Tastes of Wanted Customers

LONDON (BUP).—London housewives are taking more Canadian food. The campaign launched by the Canadian Government about nine months ago has been the most sustained ever made, and although figures are not yet available—the campaign is scheduled to last one year—every indication of the effect of the campaign speaks of its success.

In every important grocery and provision store in the London area there are posters carrying slogans to advertise Canadian pure food products—apples, bacon, cereals, canned fruits and soups, canned tomatoes, and Cheddar cheese.

Advertisement of the Canadian goods is also being carried on London's buses and lorries, and in every practical way London's women shoppers are having impressed on their minds the value of Canada's pure foods.

STORES CO-OPERATE

Grocery and provision stores, such as The International Stores, Ltd., The Allied, The Co-operative Societies, which have a tremendous custom, and other important concerns have all co-operated with the advertising body in arranging extensive displays of Canadian goods and products, and trade generally, as a result, has improved.

There is a merchandising organization composed of sales promotion service representatives, who visited various shops and arrange for the display of bills, posters and products, and give advice on how the import of Canadian goods can be arranged.

Generally speaking the present campaign has been more scientific than previous ones, and much greater attention is being paid of British tastes than before. This can be seen in the advertisements.

The campaign is receiving further impetus at the British Industries Fair at Earls Court, London, which opened on February 20 and will last until March 3. Emphasis is laid in the Canadian section on advertising Canadian pure foods.

A DISTINCT UNIT

Canada's participation largely follows the lines of previous representations, the whole section being planned as a distinct unit. It covers 3,537 square feet, the interior color scheme of the stands being in light grey with blue counter tops, while the facia of the stands is illuminated by red Neon tubing.

There are some twenty-four firms exhibiting, while the Canadian Government itself is, of course, taking substantial space. The exhibits constitute a comprehensive display of Canadian industry as a whole, and range from sun goggles to spices and from canned goods to frocks. There is also a special stand for the Canadian National Exhibition in Toronto.

Here is a brief list of the exhibits, showing the scope and variety of the Canadian section: Fountain pens, rubber boots and aprons, whisky, electric vacuum cleaners and other domestic appliances, breakfast foods, coffee, canned goods of all kinds, silver fox furs, typewriters, sealskin slippers, soups, spices, sun goggles, and children's wear and gowns.

CAN MAKE BREAD WITHOUT WHEAT

Successful Research Work Has Been Carried Out at Swansea Technical College

LONDON (BUP).—Research work carried out at Swansea Technical College, Wales, is believed to have brought the country within sight of independence of imported wheat or flour in an emergency.

For the bakery department of the college has produced bread made of oat flour. It is the first time, in England at least, that bread has been produced commercially without the use of some wheat flour.

Samples of the new bread were exhibited at the college, and the public was asked to vote upon it.

In appearance the oat bread is very similar to ordinary brown bread.

P. S. Jewell, lecturer in biochemistry at the college, said:

"Oaten bread contains 28 per cent of calories, compared with 25 per cent in wheat bread; 7.2 per cent of fat, compared with 1.7 per cent; three times as much calcium and 16.1 per cent of protein, compared with 11.1 per cent."

Make Big Catch Of Lincoln Pike

LONDON (BUP).—Two Lincolnshire anglers can lay claim to the record for a one-day catch of pike—they caught 29, and 13 of them weighed more than ten pounds each.

The two men are W. H. Clayton, of Boston, and Gordon Casswell, of Spalding, and they ceased fishing only because their stock of bait ran out.

The big catch—from a noted private lake in South Lincolnshire—was made in five hours. In one period of less than half an hour Clayton landed three fish of more than fifteen pounds each.

CROOKS BETRAYED BY THEIR GAMES

LONDON (BUP).—So popular has the pastime become in bars that darts now feature in police descriptions of wanted men.

"Stands well to left when playing darts, stands on tiptoes, jerks hand behind ear before throwing, starts on double thirteen, then tries for treble nineteen, likes to finish on double seventeen."

That is the kind of paragraph added the descriptions, and that means more to a detective than a scar on the nose, a wart on the cheek, red hair or a limp.

Criminals are being caught every day because their peculiar styles give them away. Even when fugitives they can seldom resist a game, and publicans and club managers are being encouraged to note how customers play.

SCHOOLBOY TAKES HIS FELLOWSHIP

LONDON (BUP).—Beards are wagging in the Royal Meteorological Society's headquarters in London over the case of Roger Cade.

For it was revealed at the society's annual general meeting that Roger, who is a fourteen-year-old schoolboy, had been invited by the society's council to become a Fellow.

Roger has constantly sent in cloud and storm observations to the society ever since he was eleven, and the council did not know his age when they invited him to become a Fellow of the society.

At the annual general meeting, however, some of the greybeards expressed the fear that the prestige of the society might be lowered by having a schoolboy as a Fellow.

But Dr. Keen, the president, said that the council had given careful thought to the case, and, while the by-laws prevented Roger being admitted as a student Associate below the age of eighteen, there was no age limit for Fellows.

So Roger Cade is now a F.R.M.S.

Canadians Are In British Soccer

LONDON (BUP).—Robert Boyd, a young outside-left from Canada, has joined the Huddersfield Town A.F.C. as a professional.

Boyd is the son of an old Scottish player, who was formerly with Kilmarnock. He has played with McIntyre, a mining district team, and Schumacher, Ont.

Another Canadian has recently been introduced to British soccer. He is Douglas McMahon, of Winnipeg.

McMahon, who is twenty years old, went to play for Wolverhampton Wanderers last September on a month's trial, his passage from Canada having being paid by the Wolverhampton Club. He was also guaranteed his return ticket if he failed to make the grade. He has been showing exceptional promise as an inside forward.

Can of Roast Veal Hundred Years Old Still Good to Eat

Museum Specimen Opened by Request of International Council Shows No Sign of Deterioration —Came Back From Arctic Expedition

LONDON (BUP).—Roast veal more than 100 years old but still palatable and nourishing is one view in a glass tube in the museum of the Royal United Service Institution in London.

It comes from a tin which formed part of the stores taken by Sir William Parry on his expedition to the Arctic in 1824, but brought back unused. Also on show is the tin, carrying the formidable instruction: "Cut round with chisel and hammer."

This is the earliest known example of canned food, and is one of the exhibits at the museum connected with Polar exploration. In view of advice to English housewives to store a supply of canned food against an emergency, however, this item is attracting particular interest.

PERFECT CONDITION

At the request of the International Tin Research and Development Council, the museum authorities recently allowed the tin to be opened for chemical and bacteriological examination. No trace of preservatives was found in this meat, but it was in perfect condition, and ten rats which were experimentally fed upon it for several days waxed fat on the diet.

Although the process of canning was invented by a Frenchman at the end of the eighteenth century, it was left to the English firm of Donkin & Hall to make practical use of it. This firm set up business in 1811, and two years later their products were being used by the navy and army.

IRON DUKE TRIED IT

It is reported that the Duke of Wellington, then Lord Wellesley, and yet to fight the Battle of Waterloo, tried and approved the firm's preserved beef, and in 1814 Sir Joseph Banks, the botanist and explorer who accompanied Captain Cook on his voyage and was largely responsible for the first settlement of Australia, wrote in praise of the nutritious qualities of what he termed "your embalmed provisions."

The firm of Donkin & Hall provided the 1824 Polar expedition with canned meat, soup and vegetables which did much to prevent scurvy.

BRITISH JEWRY PRODUCES CODE

Every German Jewish Refugee on Arrival in England Handed Copy

LONDON (BUP).—A code of conduct intended to smooth the path of the German refugee among his British hosts has been drawn up by a board of deputies of British Jews.

A copy of the code is being handed to every German Jewish refugee in Great Britain.

Some of the instructions are:

Spend your spare time immediately in learning the English language and its correct pronunciation.

Refrain from speaking German in public places or reading German newspapers.

Do not criticize the Government regulations.

Do not take part in any political activities or join any political organizations.

Do not make yourself conspicuous by speaking or dressing loudly.

Try to observe and follow the manners and customs and habits of this country in social and business relations.

Above all, realize that the Jewish Community is relying on you to uphold here the highest Jewish qualities, to maintain dignity and to help and serve others.

Refugees are also instructed to regard their stay in England as a "mark-time" period in which to prepare themselves for a new life.

They are urged to observe the Home Office rules in regard to the acceptance of employment.

CAPETOWN HAS "CINEMA" CHURCH

CAPETOWN (BUP).—Rev. Norman H. Pike, of the Roodebloem Methodist Church in Capetown, has installed talking-film projectors to attract people who do not normally go to church.

"This is a cinema-minded age," he explained. "And, after all, it must be admitted that church services have remained the same for a hundred years—prayer, lesson, prayer, sermon. Many people have found it boring even though they may be religious at heart. The sermon will be replaced by a film.

"America and Britain already have a large output of suitable religious films. England has now over 500 cinema churches, and they have proved a great success in attracting non-churchgoers.

REFUGEES HAVE OWN PARLIAMENT

LONDON (BUP).—The largest refugee camp in Britain, with its own cinema, hospital and "Parliament," has been opened at Richborough, Kent.

The camp, which will cost $400,000 a year to run, will hold 3,500 refugees from Germany and Austria, between the ages of eighteen and thirty-five.

On this site was formerly the famous Kitchener camp which accommodated 40,000 troops during the war, and it has been reconstructed by 100 refugee craftsmen under the Council for German Jewry working through the Jewish Lads' Brigade.

A noted architect in charge of the reconstruction said a large cinema is being built in the camp, and refugees are now being drafted there in batches of 200.

"We shall give them intensive training in engineering, agriculture and trades like boot repairing and tailoring," he added. "In the evenings they will learn English and Spanish.

"We hope to devise a kind of 'Parliamentary' system by which the refugees can have a say in their own welfare."

RECEIVED FROM THE KING

Her Two Sons Were Killed Last Year While Trying to Save the Life of a Pilot Who Crashed Into a House at Edmonton, England. The King Awarded Medals to the Mother at an Investiture in Buckingham Palace.

TO DRIVE FAMOUS TRAIN

Engineer Fred Bishop (Right) and Fireman John Canswell. They Will Pilot the Coronation Scot Train on This Continent.